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S 1569

Hazardous Material in Transportation Protection Act of 2001

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Oct 18, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (Oct 18, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]

Party: Republican • State: UT • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 18, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 18, 2001)

The Hazardous Material in Transportation Protection Act of 2001 - Amends Federal transportation law to prohibit a State from issuing an individual a license to operate a motor vehicle transporting a hazardous material in commerce unless the Secretary of Transportation has first determined that such individual does not pose a security risk.. Requires the Attorney General, upon the request of a license-issuing State, to carry out a background records check on the individual. Revises Federal driver fitness standards to accord with this Act.

Actions Timeline

- Oct 18, 2001: Introduced in Senate
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