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Violence Against Women Office Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Jan 24, 2001)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** MN • **Chamber:** Senate

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 24, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 24, 2001)

Violence Against Women Office Act - Establishes within the Department of Justice (DOJ) a Violence Against Women Office.

Specifies the duties of the Office Director, including carrying out DOJ functions under the Violence Against Women Act of 1994 and on matters relating to violence against women.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 24, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 24, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S527-528)
- **Jan 24, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.