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A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require the establishment of a unified combatant command for homeland security of the United States, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (Feb 4, 2002)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** MO • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 4, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 4, 2002)

Directs the President, through the Secretary of Defense, to establish a unified combatant command for homeland security of the United States (homeland security command) to prepare forces to carry out assigned missions for homeland security.

Provides for: (1) a commander and deputy commander of such command; and (2) command headquarters to be located geographically central within the United States, away from any major population center, and in an area with existing infrastructure in use by the armed forces that is tailored to defend against asymmetric terrorist threats.

Actions Timeline

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