

HR 1919

Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act of 2001

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Law

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Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. (May 21, 2001)

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| Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39] | R · CA | | May 21, 2002 |
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| Rep. DeGette, Diana [D-CO-1] | D · CO | | Jul 8, 2002 |
| Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18] | D · PA | | Jul 8, 2002 |
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Committee Activity

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| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred To | May 21, 2001 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 21, 2001)

Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act of 2001 - Provides that neither a person (including any other entity) who donates re-certified fire control or fire rescue equipment, nor a State or local agency that administers the distribution of such equipment, shall be liable for personal injuries, property damage, or death proximately caused after the donation by a defect in such equipment. Waives such liability protection if: (1) the person's or agency's act or omission causing the injury, damage, or loss constitutes malice, gross negligence, recklessness, or intentional misconduct; or (2) the person or agency is the manufacturer of such equipment.

Actions Timeline

- **May 21, 2001:** Introduced in House
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- **May 21, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E863)
- **May 21, 2001:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.