

HR 4035

Military Tribunal Authorization Act of 2002

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 20, 2002
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 20, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 S 1941	Identical bill	Feb 13, 2002: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S743-744)

Military Tribunal Authorization Act of 2002 - Authorizes the President to establish tribunals for the trial of individuals who: (1) are not U.S. persons; (2) are members of the al Qaeda organization or other terrorist organizations who cooperated with the al Qaeda in planning, authorizing, committing, or aiding in the September 11, 2001, attacks against the United States or who aided or abetted such members in such activities; (3) are apprehended in or fleeing from Afghanistan or any other place outside the United States where U.S. armed forces are involved; and (4) are not prisoners of war.

Authorizes the President to direct the Secretary of Defense to detain individuals subject to such tribunals.

Expresses the sense of Congress that the President should seek the cooperation of U.S. allies and other nations in conducting investigations and prosecutions of such individuals.

Actions Timeline

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