

HR 1049

Arming Cargo Pilots Against Terrorism Act

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Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Transportation and Infrastructure Committee | House | Referred to | Mar 5, 2003 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 108 S 516 | Related bill | Mar 13, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3721) |

Summary (as of Mar 4, 2003)

Arming Cargo Pilots Against Terrorism Act - Expresses the sense of Congress that a flight deck crew member of a cargo aircraft should be armed with a firearm to defend such aircraft against attacks by terrorists that could use the aircraft as a weapon of mass destruction or for other terrorist purposes.

Amends Federal transportation law to authorize the training and arming of flight deck crew members (pilots) of all-cargo air transportation flights to prevent acts of criminal violence or air piracy.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 5, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **Mar 4, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 4, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 4, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.