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S 1061

Bankruptcy Judgeship Act of 2003 Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate Policy Area: Law

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 14, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 1428	Identical bill	May 22, 2003: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Summary (as of May 14, 2003)

Bankruptcy Judgeship Act of 2003 - Authorizes appointment of additional bankruptcy judgeships for specified States, including additional temporary bankruptcy judgeships for Puerto Rico, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Mississippi, and Georgia.

Extends certain existing temporary bankruptcy judgeships in Alabama and. Tennessee.

Converts the bankruptcy judgeship presently shared by the southern district and the middle district of Georgia to a bankruptcy judgeship for the middle district of Georgia.

Converts to a permanent bankruptcy judgeship existing temporary bankruptcy judgeships for the districts of Delaware and Puerto Rico.

Actions Timeline

- May 14, 2003: Introduced in Senate
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