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Federal Firefighters Fairness Act of 2003

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 31, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 5, 2003)

Federal Firefighters Fairness Act of 2003 - Amends Federal law to provide that, with regard to an employee in fire protection activities: (1) heart disease, lung disease, specified cancers and infectious diseases shall be presumed to be proximately caused by the employee's employment; (2) the disability or death of an employee in fire protection activities due to such a disease shall be presumed to result from personal injury sustained while in the performance of such employee's duty; and (3) such presumptions may be rebutted by a preponderance of the evidence.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
- **Mar 5, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Mar 5, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.