

## S 1291

Emergency Protection for Iraqi Cultural Antiquities Act of 2003

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8237)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]	D · MT		Jun 19, 2003
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Jun 23, 2003

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 19, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jun 19, 2003)

Emergency Protection for Iraqi Cultural Antiquities Act of 2003 - Authorizes the President to exercise his authority under the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act to implement emergency import restrictions with respect to any archaeological or ethnological material of Iraq as if Iraq were a State Party under that Act (but makes certain limitations under that Act inapplicable, including that the State Party must have requested the President to act). Terminates such authority upon the earlier of one year after the President certifies to Congress that the normalization of relations between the United States and the Iraqi Government has been established or September 30, 2004.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 19, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 19, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8236-8237)
- **Jun 19, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8237)