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S 1445

A bill to provide criminal penalties for false personation of military officer for purposes of harassing military families and to clarify the false personation statute with respect to officers and employees of the United States.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

Introduced: Jul 23, 2003

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Jul 23, 2003)

Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-bill/1445

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]

Party: Republican • State: SC • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$		Jul 23, 2003
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	$R \cdot UT$		Jul 23, 2003
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 23, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 23, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 23, 2003)

Amends the Federal criminal code to prohibit falsely pretending to be an officer or employee acting under the authority or law of the United States with intent to harass, alarm, shock, terrify, or cause mental distress to another person regarding the military status of such person's relative.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 23, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- Jul 23, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S9795)
- Jul 23, 2003: Read twice and ferfetted to fish committee and ferfetted to fish for Judicial fish belongs to the public.