

S 1558

Religious Liberties Restoration Act

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Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 1, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Religious Liberties Restoration Act - States that the following powers are reserved to the States or their political subdivisions on property owned or administered by them: (1) to display the Ten Commandments; (2) to recite the Pledge of Allegiance as: "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all "; and (3) to recite the national motto as "In God we trust".

States that such powers are excepted from the jurisdiction of Federal courts inferior to the Supreme Court.

Actions Timeline

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