

HR 1915

To waive the limitation on the use of funds appropriated for the Homeland Security Grant Program.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

Introduced: May 1, 2003

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Jun 25, 2003)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bell, Chris [D-TX-25]	D · TX		May 1, 2003
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Jun 11, 2003
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Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Jun 17, 2003
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Sep 24, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 25, 2003
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 1, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 838	Identical bill	Apr 9, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

Summary (as of May 1, 2003)

Requires the Director of the Office of Domestic Preparedness of the Department of Homeland Security to allow any State to request approval to reallocate funds received pursuant to the State Homeland Security Grant Program among the four specified categories of equipment, training, exercises, and planning. Requires the Director to approve such requests in accordance with the State plan and any other relevant factors as determined by the Secretary of Homeland Security.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 25, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **May 1, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **May 1, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.