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# S 215

GUARD Act of 2003

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Jan 23, 2003

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1491 Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1491-

1492) (Jan 23, 2003)

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Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR] R ⋅ OR Apr 9, 2003	
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT] D · CT May 5, 2003	
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA] D · CA May 9, 2003	
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Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI] D · MI May 19, 2003	
Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM] R · NM May 20, 2003	
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID] R ⋅ ID Jun 4, 2003	
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME] R · ME Jun 24, 2003	
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND] D · ND Jul 9, 2003	
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA] D · LA Jul 9, 2003	
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ] D · NJ Jul 23, 2003	
Sen. Miller, Zell [D-GA] D · GA Jul 24, 2003	
Sen. Sununu, John E. [R-NH] R · NH Jul 29, 2003	

# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 24, 2003



### **Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

**Summary** (as of Jan 23, 2003)

Guaranteeing a United and Resolute Defense Act of 2003 or GUARD Act of 2003 - Authorizes the Secretary of Defense to provide funds to the governor of a State who submits, and receives approval of, a plan for the use of personnel and equipment of the State's National Guard in homeland security activities. Provides authorizes uses of such funding, including: (1) pay, allowances, and clothing; (2) equipment and facilities operation and maintenance; and (3) procurement of related services.

## **Actions Timeline**

- Jan 23, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- Jan 23, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1490-1491)
- Jan 23, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1491-1492)