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Railroad Carriers and Mass Transportation Protection Act of 2004

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 6, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 4143	Identical bill	May 20, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

Summary (as of Apr 6, 2004)

Railroad Carriers and Mass Transportation Protection Act of 2004 - Amends the Federal criminal code to rewrite provisions prohibiting acts of destruction and violence against trains, railroad equipment and structures, and the mass transportation system to: (1) correspond with current prohibitions against acts of violence against the mass transportation system; (2) apply such provisions to acts committed knowingly (currently, willfully); and (3) add as an aggravated offense the commission of such prohibited act under circumstances in which the railroad on-track equipment or mass transportation vehicle was carrying high-level radioactive waste, spent nuclear fuel, or specified hazardous material.

Actions Timeline

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