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# S 2519

Iraqi Women and Children's Liberation Act of 2004

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Chamber: Senate

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### **Sponsor**

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Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Jul 15, 2004
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	$R \cdot GA$		Jul 15, 2004
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 19, 2004
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Jul 21, 2004

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 15, 2004

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

International Affairs

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 4671	Identical bill	Jun 23, 2004: Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.

#### **Summary** (as of Jun 15, 2004)

Iraqi Women and Children's Liberation Act of 2004 - Expresses the sense of Congress that: (1) the United States should ensure that women and children in Iraq benefit from the liberation of Iraq; (2) women of all ethnic groups in Iraq should be included in the economic and political reconstruction of Iraq; and (3) the Government of Iraq should adhere to internationally accepted standards on human rights and rights of women and children.

Authorizes the President to provide assistance for: (1) education and health care for Iraqi women and children living in Iraq or living as refugees in other countries; and (2) enhancement of political participation, economic empowerment, civil society, and personal security of women in Iraq.

Expresses the sense of Congress that the President should ensure that such assistance is: (1) provided in a manner that protects and promotes the human rights of all people in Iraq, utilizing indigenous institutions and nongovernmental organizations, especially women's organizations; and (2) conditioned on the government of Iraq making continued progress toward internationally accepted standards of human rights and the rights of women.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Jun 15, 2004: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 15, 2004: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6805-6806)
- Jun 15, 2004: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6806-6807)