

HR 4333

Homeland Security Grant Enhancement Act of 2004

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 7, 2004
Homeland Security Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 16, 2004
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 28, 2004
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	May 11, 2004
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 12, 2004
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Emergency Management

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 1245	Identical bill	Mar 12, 2004: Star Print ordered on S. Rept. 108-225.
108 S 1073	Related bill	May 15, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

Homeland Security Grant Enhancement Act of 2004 - Amends the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish an Interagency Committee to Coordinate and Streamline Homeland Security Grant Programs.

Provides that the Office for State and Local Government Coordination (OSLGC) within the Office of the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) shall be headed by a Director appointed by the President.

Transfers administration of the firefighter assistance grant program and the Office for Domestic Preparedness (ODP) to OSLGC.

Establishes a Homeland Security Information Clearinghouse within OSLGC.

Authorizes the Secretary to award homeland security grants to States. Specifies the permissible and impermissible uses for grant funds. Requires State grant applications to include certification that the State has prepared a three-year homeland security plan.

Requires the Secretary to use ten percent of the funds appropriated for the Homeland Security Grant Program for discretionary grants to high threat areas. Establishes a formula for awarding the remaining funds. Requires grant recipients to use 80 percent of grant funds for local entities and first responders and to provide non-Federal matching funds.

Instructs the Secretary to assist States in establishing interim performance measures and subsequently to set, and ensure State compliance with, national performance standards.

Provides penalties for a grant recipient's noncompliance with any grant program provision of this Act.

Requires the Director of ODP to allow any State to request approval to reallocate previously received homeland security funds among the categories of equipment, training, exercises, and planning.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 28, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Jun 16, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Emergency Preparedness and Response.
- **Jun 7, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Chairman.
- **May 12, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- **May 12, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **May 12, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **May 12, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways, Transit and Pipelines.
- **May 12, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Railroads.
- **May 12, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment.
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