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HR 580

Commercial Airline Missile Defense Act

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

Introduced: Feb 5, 2003

Current Status: Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from DOD.

Latest Action: Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from DOD. (May 14, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]

Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (13 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	$D \cdot NY$		May 21, 2003
Rep. Ackerman, Gary L. [D-NY-5]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-7]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-17]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. McCarthy, Carolyn [D-NY-4]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Jun 3, 2003
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	$D\cdotVA$		Jun 12, 2003
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-3]	$R \cdot NY$		Sep 3, 2003
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-18]	$D \cdot NY$		Sep 3, 2003
Rep. Frost, Martin [D-TX-24]	$D \cdot TX$		Sep 9, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2003
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 6, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 311	Identical bill	Feb 5, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1989)

Summary (as of Feb 5, 2003)

Commercial Airline Missile Defense Act - Directs the Secretary of Transportation to issue regulations that require all turbojet aircraft of air carriers be equipped with a missile defense system. Requires the Secretary to purchase such defense systems and make them available to all air carriers. Sets forth certain interim security measures to be taken before the deployment of such defense systems.

Actions Timeline

- May 14, 2003: Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from DOD.
- Feb 28, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Total Force.
- Feb 28, 2003: Executive Comment Requested from DOD.
- Feb 6, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E157-158)
- Feb 6, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Aviation.
- Feb 5, 2003: Introduced in House
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