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#### S 976

Jamestown 400th Anniversary Commemorative Coin Act of 2003

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

**Policy Area:** Commemorations **Introduced:** May 1, 2003

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Latest Action: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 633. (Jul 14, 2004)

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#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Warner, John [R-VA]

Party: Republican • State: VA • Chamber: Senate

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	$R \cdot VA$		May 1, 2003
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	$D \cdot NY$		Jun 3, 2003
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 17, 2003
Sen. Dole, Elizabeth [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$		Jun 24, 2003
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$		Jun 24, 2003
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 27, 2003
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	$D \cdot VT$		Jul 7, 2003
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jul 11, 2003
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 16, 2003
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		Jul 17, 2003
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D·SD		Jul 17, 2003
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 22, 2003
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	R · UT		Sep 2, 2003
Sen. Campbell, Ben Nighthorse [R-CO]	R · CO		Sep 5, 2003
Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM]	R · NM		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Nickles, Don [R-OK]	R · OK		Sep 30, 2003
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	$R \cdot KY$		Oct 14, 2003
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R·WY		Oct 22, 2003
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Oct 23, 2003
Sen. Sununu, John E. [R-NH]	R · NH		Oct 30, 2003
Sen. Allard, Wayne [R-CO]	R · CO		Nov 3, 2003
Sen. Chafee, Lincoln [R-RI]	R · RI		Nov 3, 2003
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		Nov 3, 2003
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Nov 3, 2003
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	R·AL		Nov 3, 2003
Sen. Bayh, Evan [D-IN]	D · IN		Nov 12, 2003
Sen. Fitzgerald, Peter [R-IL]	R·IL		Dec 9, 2003
Sen. Breaux, John B. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jan 20, 2004
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	R · MN		Jan 20, 2004
Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]	R·IN		Jan 20, 2004
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 2, 2004
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Feb 2, 2004
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Feb 2, 2004
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 2, 2004
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Feb 10, 2004
Sen. Carper, Thomas R. [D-DE]	D · DE		Mar 10, 2004
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 11, 2004
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D·IL		Mar 22, 2004
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Mar 22, 2004
Sen. Miller, Zell [D-GA]	D · GA		Mar 23, 2004
Sen. Pryor, Mark L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Mar 23, 2004

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Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Mar 24, 2004
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$		Mar 25, 2004
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	R · PA		Mar 25, 2004
Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]	D · DE		Mar 29, 2004
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	$R \cdot NV$		Mar 30, 2004
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Mar 31, 2004
Sen. Nelson, Ben [D-NE]	D · NE		Apr 7, 2004
Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Apr 8, 2004
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	$R \cdot ID$		Apr 20, 2004
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Apr 26, 2004
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Apr 26, 2004
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		Apr 27, 2004
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [D-CT]	D · CT		Apr 27, 2004
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	$R \cdot OR$		Apr 28, 2004
Sen. Bennett, Robert F. [R-UT]	$R \cdot UT$		Apr 29, 2004
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	$R \cdot IA$		Apr 29, 2004
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Apr 29, 2004
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	$D \cdot MD$		Apr 29, 2004
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		Apr 29, 2004
Sen. Thomas, Craig [R-WY]	$R \cdot WY$		May 3, 2004
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	$R \cdot TN$		May 4, 2004
Sen. Bond, Christopher S. [R-MO]	$R \cdot MO$		May 4, 2004
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		May 4, 2004
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	R·NE		May 4, 2004
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	D · NV		May 4, 2004
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	$R \cdot KS$		May 4, 2004
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 5, 2004
Sen. Edwards, John [D-NC]	D · NC		May 5, 2004
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		May 5, 2004
Sen. Burns, Conrad R. [R-MT]	$R \cdot MT$		May 6, 2004
Sen. Lott, Trent [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 18, 2004

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jul 14, 2004

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## Policy Area:

Commemorations

### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 1914	Related bill	Aug 6, 2004: Became Public Law No: 108-289.

# (This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)

Jamestown 400th Anniversary Commemorative Coin Act of 2003 - Directs the Secretary of the Treasury (the Secretary) to mint and issue not more than 100,000 \$5 gold coins and 500,000 \$1 silver coins, which shall be emblematic of the settlement of Jamestown, Virginia (the first permanent English settlement in America).

Prohibits: (1) any provision of law governing procurement or public contracts from being applicable to the procurement of goods and services necessary for carrying out the provisions of this Act; and (2) such general waiver of procurement regulations from relieving any person entering into a contract under the authority of this Act from complying with any law relating to equal employment opportunity.

Provides for a \$35 per coin surcharge for the \$5 dollar coins and \$10 per coin for the \$1 dollar coins. Directs the Secretary to distribute: (1) 50 percent of the surcharges to the Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation of Virginia to support programs to promote the understanding of the legacies of Jamestown; and (2) 50 percent to sustain the ongoing mission of preserving Jamestown, to enhance national and international educational programs, to improve infrastructure and archeological research activities, and to conduct other programs to support the commemoration of the 400th anniversary of the settlement of Jamestown. States that entities specified for such purposes are the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, the President of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, and the Chairman of the Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation.

Requires the Secretary to take such actions as may be necessary to ensure that minting and issuing coins under this Act will not result in any net cost to the U.S. Government.

Prohibits the issuance of a coin unless the Secretary has received: (1) full payment for the coin; (2) security satisfactory to the Secretary to indemnify the United States for full payment; or (3) a guarantee of full payment satisfactory to the Secretary from a depository institution, the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the National Credit Union Administration.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Jul 14, 2004: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Reported by Senator Shelby without amendment. Without written report.
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- Jul 14, 2004: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 633.
- Jun 17, 2004: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- May 1, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- May 1, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5667)
- May 1, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5667-5668)