

HR 977

Aerial Firefighter Relief Act of 2003

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 11, 2003
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 5, 2003
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 11, 2003
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2003)

Aerial Firefighter Relief Act of 2003 - Amends the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to provide for death and disability benefits for aerial firefighters who serve the Forest Service or any agency of the Department of the Interior and suffer death or disability in the line of duty.

Amends the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide for similar eligibility of aerial firefighters for public safety officer death benefits, applicable to a public agency.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 29, 2004:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **May 5, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Water and Power.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Executive Comment Requested from USDA, Interior.
- **Mar 11, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, Nutrition and Forestry.
- **Feb 27, 2003:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E328)
- **Feb 27, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, and the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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