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Secure Handling of Ammonium Nitrate Act of 2005

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		May 26, 2005
Sen. Pryor, Mark L. [D-AR]	D · AR		May 26, 2005
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		May 26, 2005
Sen. Craig, Larry E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Feb 14, 2006
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Sep 26, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 26, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 3197	Related bill	Jun 14, 2006: Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.

Secure Handling of Ammonium Nitrate Act of 2005 - Authorizes the Secretary of Homeland Security to regulate the handling and purchase of ammonium nitrate to prevent its misappropriation or use in violation of law.

Authorizes the Secretary to promulgate regulations that require: (1) handlers to register facilities, to sell or distribute ammonium nitrate only to handlers and purchasers registered under this Act, and to maintain records of sale or distribution that include the name, address, telephone number, and registration number of the immediate subsequent purchaser of ammonium nitrate; and (2) purchasers to be registered.

Makes it unlawful for any person to: (1) fail to perform any duty required by this Act, including regulations promulgated under this Act; (2) violate the terms of registration under this Act; (3) fail to keep any record, make any report, or allow any inspection required by this Act; or (4) to violate any sale or distribution order issued under this Act. Provides penalties for violations.

Actions Timeline

- **May 26, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 26, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6032)
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