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Fallen Heroes of 9/11 Act

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Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	$D\cdotMA$		Jul 28, 2005
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	$D \cdot NJ$		Sep 5, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 19, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Fallen Heroes of 9/11 Act - Authorizes the President to award a medal to be known as the "Fallen Heroes of 9/11 Congressional Medal," to the personal representative or next of kin of individuals killed as a result of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, in recognition of their sacrifice and to honor their deaths.

Instructs the Secretary of the Treasury to strike three medals, to be representative of and in honor of, respectively: (1) victims of the attack at the World Trade Center, including civilians, public safety officers, emergency workers, and hijack victims; (2) victims aboard United Airlines Flight 93 that crashed in Pennsylvania; and (3) victims at the Pentagon, including the hijack victims.

Declares eligible for such medal any individual who died on or after September 11, 2001, as a direct result of that act of terrorism within the United States.

States the medals are national medals.

Actions Timeline

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