

## S 1612

Under Secretary for Emergency Preparedness and Qualifications Act of 2005

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** FL • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 6, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Sep 6, 2005)

Amends the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish the office of the Under Secretary of Homeland Security for Emergency Preparedness and Response.

Requires the President to select as Under Secretary an individual with broad background, professional knowledge, and substantial experience in emergency training, planning, and preparedness, including work experience relating to emergency preparedness, at least four years of which must be experience in management of emergency personnel or assets.

### Actions Timeline

- **Sep 6, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
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