

S 1813

A bill to amend titles 10 and 38 of the United States Code, to modify the circumstances under which a person who has committed a capital offense is denied certain burial-related benefits and funeral honors.

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	R · KS		Oct 3, 2005
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Oct 3, 2005
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Oct 19, 2005
Sen. Salazar, Ken [D-CO]	D · CO		Nov 14, 2005

Committee Activity

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Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 3, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 4352	Related bill	Dec 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
109 S 1759	Related bill	Oct 3, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10826)

Prohibits the interment or memorialization in a national cemetery of, or the performance of military funeral honors for, any person convicted of a federal or state capital crime for which a life sentence or the death penalty may be imposed. (Currently, such prohibition extends only to those so convicted who have been sentenced to death or life imprisonment without parole.)

Directs the Secretaries of Defense and Veterans Affairs to prescribe regulations to ensure that a person is not interred in a national cemetery or provided funeral honors unless a good faith effort has been made to determine whether such person is ineligible for such interment or honors.

Actions Timeline

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