

S 2452

Dignity for Military Funerals Act of 2006

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Chamber: Senate

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Mar 16, 2006)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 17, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 4042	Related bill	Dec 22, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-464.
109 HR 5037	Related bill	May 29, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-228.
109 S 2779	Related bill	May 10, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Dignity for Military Funerals Act of 2006 - Prohibits states or local governments from issuing permits for picketing during the funeral of a member or former member of the Armed Forces.

Amends the federal criminal code to prohibit persons from picketing at the funeral of a member or former member of the Armed Forces. Imposes a fine and/or imprisonment of up to five years.

Defines "picketing" as protest activities within 300 feet of a cemetery, mortuary, or church from one hour before to one hour after a funeral of a member of the Armed Forces.

Actions Timeline

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