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S 2599

Disaster Recovery Personal Protection Act of 2006

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Sponsor

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Sen. Byrd, Robert C. [D-WV]	D · WV		Jun 5, 2006
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Sen. Lott, Trent [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		Jun 9, 2006
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	R · AK		Jun 12, 2006
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	$R \cdot NV$		Jun 13, 2006
Sen. Thomas, Craig [R-WY]	$R \cdot WY$		Jun 15, 2006
Sen. Craig, Larry E. [R-ID]	$R \cdot ID$		Jun 16, 2006
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Sen. Gregg, Judd [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		Jun 21, 2006
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	$R \cdot TN$		Jul 11, 2006
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	$R \cdot VA$		Jul 13, 2006
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	$R \cdot KY$		Jul 13, 2006
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		Jul 13, 2006
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		Jul 13, 2006
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	$R \cdot KS$		Sep 7, 2006
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	$R \cdot TX$		Sep 12, 2006
Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM]	$R \cdot NM$		Sep 13, 2006
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$		Sep 21, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 7, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 5013	Related bill	Aug 4, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Disaster Recovery Personal Protection Act of 2006 - Amends the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to prohibit any U.S. officer or employee, or person operating under color of federal law, under control of a federal official, or providing services to such person, while acting in support of relief from a major disaster or emergency, from: (1) seizing, or authorizing seizure of, any firearm the possession of which is not prohibited under federal or state law, other than for forfeiture in compliance with federal law or as evidence in a criminal investigation; (2) requiring registration of any firearm for which registration is not required by federal or state law; (3) prohibiting possession of any firearm in any place or by any person where such possession is not otherwise prohibited; or (4) prohibiting the carrying of a firearm by any person otherwise authorized to carry firearms, solely because such person is operating under the direction, control, or supervision of a federal agency in support of relief from a major disaster or emergency.

Authorizes any individual aggrieved by a violation of this Act to seek relief by bringing an action for redress and by bringing a civil action in U.S. district court for return of a confiscated firearm.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 19, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S9719-9720)
- Apr 7, 2006: Introduced in Senate
- Apr 7, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3381)
- Apr 7, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.