

## S 4060

Effective Terrorists Prosecution Act of 2006

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Nov 16, 2006

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1106

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S11060-11061) (Nov 16, 2006)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Dec 5, 2006
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Dec 5, 2006

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 16, 2006

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Nov 16, 2006)

Effective Terrorists Prosecution Act of 2006 - Amends federal armed forces provisions enacted by the Military Commissions Act of 2006 to, among other things: (1) exclude from military commission (commission) trials statements obtained by coercion; (2) allow a commission military judge to exclude hearsay evidence determined to be unreliable or lacking in probative value; (3) provide for review of commission decisions by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces rather than the Court of Military Commission Review; (4) revise generally provisions concerning the implementation of treaty obligations with respect to the U.S. prosecution of enemy combatants; (5) restore habeas corpus rights for individuals detained by the United States; and (6) provide for expedited judicial review of provisions of the Military Commissions Act of 2006.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Nov 16, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 16, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S11059-11060)
- **Nov 16, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (text of measure as introduced: CR S11060-11061)