

HR 4397

Returning Competence and Credibility to American Disaster Management

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management. (Nov 21, 2005)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 21, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 18, 2005)

Returning Competence and Credibility to American Disaster Management - Requires the positions of Director and Deputy Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to be appointed by the President, by and with the consent of the Senate, from among persons who have extensive background in emergency and disaster-related management.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 21, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Nov 18, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Nov 18, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.