

HRES 665

Honoring the service of the National Guard and requesting consultation by the Department of Defense with Congress and the chief executive officers of the States prior offering proposals to change the National Guard force structure.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SRES 355	Identical bill	Feb 7, 2006: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S777)

Summary (as of Feb 1, 2006)

Expresses support for the federal and state missions of the Army National Guard and the Air National Guard.

Recommends that the Department of Defense (DOD) propose to fully fund the National Guard's equipment needs.

Urges DOD to consult with the states' chief executive officers and Congress on any proposed changes to the National Guard force structure. Requests that: (1) any DOD plan regarding force structure take into account the National Guard role in homeland defense and other state missions; (2) DOD prepare budget projections that detail cost savings from any changes in force structure, as well as projected costs in the event large personnel increases are necessary to respond to a national emergency; and (3) DOD assure Congress and the chief executive officers that potential changes in force structure will not impact the safety and security of the U.S. people.

Actions Timeline

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