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Christopher Kangas Fallen Firefighter Apprentice Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Aug 1, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]

Party: Republican • State: PA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

| Cosponsor                         | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------|-------------|
| Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA] | D · PA        |      | Aug 1, 2007 |
| Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]     | D · VT        |      | Aug 1, 2007 |

Committee Activity

| Committee           | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
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| Judiciary Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Aug 1, 2007 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship | Last Action                                                                            |
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| 110 HR 2224 | Related bill | Jun 25, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. |

Summary (as of Aug 1, 2007)

Christopher Kangas Fallen Firefighter Apprentice Act - Amends the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to expand the definition of "firefighter" for purposes of death benefit provisions to include fire department members regardless of age, status as an apprentice or trainee, or related duty restrictions. Makes this Act applicable to deaths and injuries which occur on or after May 4, 2002.

Actions Timeline

- Aug 1, 2007: Introduced in Senate
- Aug 1, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S10609)
- Aug 1, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.