

S 233

A bill to prohibit the use of funds for an escalation of United States military forces in Iraq above the numbers existing as of January 9, 2007.

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**Chamber:** Senate  
**Policy Area:** International Affairs  
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Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]  
**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Jan 9, 2007
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Jan 9, 2007
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jan 9, 2007
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Jan 9, 2007
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Jan 9, 2007
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jan 10, 2007
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jan 12, 2007
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Jan 26, 2007
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Jan 31, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 9, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 287	Identical bill	<b>Jan 16, 2007:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 7.
110 HR 353	Related bill	<b>Jan 9, 2007:</b> Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

Prohibits the U.S. government from obligating or expending funds to increase the number of U.S. military forces in Iraq above the number for such forces which existed as of January 9, 2007, without a specific congressional authorization for such increase.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jan 9, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 9, 2007:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.