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Managing Arson Through Criminal History (MATCH) Act of 2007

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

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Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 16, 2007

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 1759	Related bill	Dec 6, 2007: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Managing Arson Through Criminal History (MATCH) Act of 2007 - Requires jurisdictions (i.e., states, the District of Columbia, U.S. territories and possessions, and federally recognized Indian tribes) to establish and maintain jurisdiction-wide arsonist registries and make such registries available on the Internet.

Requires a criminal arsonist to register in each jurisdiction in which such arsonist resides, is an employee, or is a student. Sets forth other registration requirements and the information required to be provided in a registry by the criminal arsonist and jurisdictions. Allows jurisdictions to exempt from disclosure certain information about an arsonist, including the arsonist's employer and enrollment at an educational institution.

Requires the Attorney General to maintain a national database at the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) (to be known as the National Arsonist Registry) and a national arsonist Internet site containing information on each criminal arsonist registered in a jurisdiction's registry or listed on a jurisdiction's Internet site, respectively.

Directs the Attorney General to establish a Criminal Arsonist Management Assistance program for awarding grants to jurisdictions to offset the costs of implementing this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 16, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 16, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S14628-14630)
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