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### HR 5552

Border Security Accountability Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Immigration Introduced: Mar 6, 2008

Current Status: Subcommittee Hearings Held.

Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (May 22, 2008)

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# **Committee Activity**

| Committee                   | Chamber | Activity                   | Date         |
|-----------------------------|---------|----------------------------|--------------|
| Homeland Security Committee | House   | Hearings By (subcommittee) | May 22, 2008 |
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# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:** 

Immigration

### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

Border Security Accountability Act of 2008 - Directs the Secretary of Homeland Security to report every 90 days to the appropriate congressional committees respecting U.S. efforts to increase border security.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- May 22, 2008: Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- Mar 31, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Border, Maritime, and Global Counterterrorism.
- Mar 6, 2008: Introduced in House
- Mar 6, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on Homeland Security.