

HR 5972

United States Capitol Police Administrative Technical Corrections Act of 2008

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Congress

Introduced: May 6, 2008

Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (Jun 5, 2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]

Party: Democratic • State: PA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		May 6, 2008
Rep. Ehlers, Vernon J. [R-MI-3]	R · MI		May 6, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Reported By	Jun 4, 2008
Rules and Administration Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 5, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 3391	Related bill	Jul 31, 2008: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

United States Capitol Police Administrative Technical Corrections Act of 2008 - Makes technical amendments to the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2001 with respect to the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) of the Capitol Police.

Repeals requirements that the Comptroller General be involved in the process of hiring and evaluating the CAO. (Thus, grants such authority solely to the Chief of the Capitol Police.)

Transfers the CAO's authority to the Chief of Police over the personnel of the Capitol Police Office of Administration.

Amends the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2008 to terminate the Chief of Police's authority at the end of FY2012 to make advance payments for U.S. Capitol Police obligations for subscription services.

Establishes a General Counsel to the Chief of Police and the U.S. Capitol Police.

Prohibits lump sum payments to terminated U.S. Capitol Police officers or employees for unused compensatory time, except as permitted under the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995.

Specifies conditions under which the Chief of Police may provide overtime compensation for officers and employees exempt from the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.

Amends the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2003 to authorize the Chief of Police to suspend Capitol Police employees with or without pay.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 5, 2008:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Reported by the Committee on House Administration. H. Rept. 110-679.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 424.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Mr. Brady (PA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4901-4903)
- **Jun 4, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5972.
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4901-4902)
- **Jun 4, 2008:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4901-4902)
- **Jun 4, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 7, 2008:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 7, 2008:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 6, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **May 6, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.