

HR 1633

Honor the WISH Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 27, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 19, 2009)

Honor the Written Intent of our Soldier Heroes Act or Honor the WISH Act - Includes, as a person authorized to direct disposition of the remains of a member of the Armed Forces who dies while on active duty, the person identified by the decedent on the record of emergency data maintained by the Secretary of the military department concerned as the Person Authorized to Direct Disposition, regardless of the relationship of the designee to the decedent.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 27, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Mar 19, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 19, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H3690)
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