

HR 2185

Architect of the Capitol Appointment Act of 2009

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Congress

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management. (May 1, 2009)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Apr 30, 2009
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	May 1, 2009

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 2843	Related bill	Feb 4, 2010: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Architect of the Capitol Appointment Act of 2009 - Requires the Architect of the Capitol (AOC) to be appointed jointly by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Majority Leader of the Senate, the Minority Leaders of the House of Representatives and Senate, the chair and ranking Minority Members of the congressional appropriations committees, the chair and ranking Minority Member of the House Committee on House Administration, and the chair and ranking Minority Member of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration.

Establishes a 10-year term for the AOC, as under current law, but permits additional reappointments.

Repeals the requirement of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1990 that the AOC be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Apr 30, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 30, 2009:** Referred to House Administration
- **Apr 30, 2009:** Referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.
- **Apr 30, 2009:** Referred to House Transportation and Infrastructure