

## S 2793

### SURE Act

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Emergency Management

**Introduced:** Nov 18, 2009

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of mea

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S11495) (Nov 18, 2009)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/2793>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** VT • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	R · OH		Nov 18, 2009
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Nov 20, 2009

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 18, 2009
Homeland Security Committee	House	Bills of Interest - Exchange of Letters	Sep 22, 2010

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Emergency Management

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 3837	Related bill	<b>Jul 22, 2010:</b> Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 319.

Strengthening and Updating Resources and Equipment Act or the SURE Act - Amends the Homeland Security Act to permit grants awarded under the State Homeland Security Grant Program or the Urban Area Security Initiative to be used for maintenance agreements, user fees, or sustainment costs for purchased equipment related to preventing, preparing for, protecting against, and responding to acts of terrorism.

Prohibits the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) from imposing: (1) a limit on the amount of any such award that may be used to pay for equipment purchase and maintenance costs; and (2) any additional limitation, including any fiscal year limitation, on the amount of any such award that may be used for a specific type, purpose, or category of equipment purchase or maintenance cost.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 18, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 18, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S11495)
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