

S 669

Veterans 2nd Amendment Protection Act

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]

Party: Republican • **State:** NC • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (18 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	R · OK		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. DeMint, Jim [R-SC]	R · SC		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R · LA		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Webb, Jim [D-VA]	D · VA		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 23, 2009
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Aug 6, 2009
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	R · KS		Sep 29, 2009
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	R · AL		May 10, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 16, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 2547	Identical bill	May 22, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.

Summary (as of Jun 16, 2009)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Veterans 2nd Amendment Protection Act - Prohibits, in any case arising out of the administration of laws and benefits by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (VA), considering any person who is mentally incapacitated, deemed mentally incompetent, or experiencing an extended loss of consciousness from being considered adjudicated as a mental defective for purposes of the right to receive or transport firearms without the order or finding of a judge, magistrate, or other judicial authority of competent jurisdiction that such person is a danger to himself or herself or others.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 16, 2009:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Reported by Senator Akaka without amendment. With written report No. 111-27.
- **Jun 16, 2009:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 78.
- **May 21, 2009:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Apr 22, 2009:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 111-76.
- **Mar 23, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 23, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3616-3617)
- **Mar 23, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3617)