

HR 1348

Fire Police Fairness Act

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 11, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 2034	Related bill	Jul 11, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
112 S 1315	Related bill	Jun 30, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of Apr 4, 2011)

Fire Police Fairness Act - Amends the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to include a fire police officer as a public safety officer for purposes of death benefits provisions. Defines a "fire police officer" as an individual who: (1) is serving in accordance with state or local law as a member of a legally organized public safety agency but is not a law enforcement officer, a firefighter, a chaplain, or a member of a rescue squad or ambulance crew; and (2) provides scene security or directs traffic in response to any fire, rescue, or police emergency or at a planned special event.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 11, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- Apr 4, 2011: Introduced in House
- Apr 4, 2011: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.