

S 1460

A bill to grant the congressional gold medal, collectively, to the First Special Service Force, in recognition of its superior service during World War II.

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]

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

Cosponsors (28 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	R · NC		Aug 1, 2011
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Aug 1, 2011
Sen. Begich, Mark [D-AK]	D · AK		Sep 21, 2011
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Sep 21, 2011
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Sep 22, 2011
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Sep 22, 2011
Sen. Conrad, Kent [D-ND]	D · ND		Oct 3, 2011
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	R · TX		Oct 3, 2011
Sen. Pryor, Mark L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Oct 3, 2011
Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO]	R · MO		Oct 5, 2011
Sen. Brown, Scott P. [R-MA]	R · MA		Oct 5, 2011
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Oct 5, 2011
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D · IA		Oct 12, 2011
Sen. Hagan, Kay R. [D-NC]	D · NC		Oct 20, 2011
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Nov 2, 2011
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 9, 2012
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 9, 2012
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Feb 14, 2012
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Feb 28, 2012
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Apr 16, 2012
Sen. Moran, Jerry [R-KS]	R · KS		May 9, 2012
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		May 24, 2012
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	ID · CT		Jun 5, 2012
Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV]	R · NV		Jul 19, 2012
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Jul 23, 2012
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Nov 13, 2012
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Nov 13, 2012
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	R · GA		Nov 27, 2012

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 1, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 3767	Identical bill	Jan 12, 2012: Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy and Technology.

Requires the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President pro tempore of the Senate to make appropriate arrangements for the award, on behalf of Congress, of two gold medals to the First Special Service Force (a joint American-Canadian unit), collectively, in recognition of their World War II service.

Directs one such gold medal to be given to the Smithsonian Institution and the other to the First Special Service Force Association in Helena, Montana.

Authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to strike and sell bronze duplicates with proceeds deposited in the U.S. Mint Public Enterprise Fund.

Declares that medals struck under this Act are national medals for purposes of specified coins and currency provisions.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 1, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Aug 1, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5193-5194)
- **Aug 1, 2011:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.