

## S 2213

### Respecting States' Rights and Concealed Carry Reciprocity Act of 2012

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Crime and Law Enforcement

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**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Mar 20, 2012)

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Sen. Johanns, Mike [R-NE]	R · NE		Mar 28, 2012
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Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	R · TX		Jun 19, 2012

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 20, 2012

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 2188	Related bill	<b>Mar 13, 2012:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
112 HR 822	Related bill	<b>Nov 17, 2011:</b> Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### Summary (as of Mar 20, 2012)

Respecting States' Rights and Concealed Carry Reciprocity Act of 2012 - Amends the federal criminal code to authorize a person who is not prohibited from possessing, transporting, shipping, or receiving a firearm under federal law, who is entitled and not prohibited from carrying a concealed firearm in his or her state of residence or who is carrying a valid state license or permit to carry a concealed weapon, and who is carrying a government-issued photographic identification document, to carry a concealed handgun (which has been shipped or transported in interstate or foreign commerce, other than a machinegun or destructive device) in any state in accordance with the restrictions of that state.

Provides that in a state that allows the issuing authority for licenses or permits to carry concealed firearms to impose restrictions on the carrying of firearms by individual license or permit holders, an individual carrying a concealed handgun under this Act shall be permitted to carry it according to the same terms authorized by an unrestricted license or permit issued by such state.

### Actions Timeline

- **Mar 20, 2012:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 20, 2012:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.