

## S 38

A bill to specify the Federal share of the costs of certain duty of the National Guard in connection with the Coronavirus Disease 2019.

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Jan 25, 2021

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

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (Jan 25, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/38>

### Sponsor

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

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

### Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Jan 25, 2021
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Jan 25, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 25, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 324	Identical bill	<b>Jan 15, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.

## Summary (as of Jan 25, 2021)

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This bill requires the federal government to pay states for 100% of the cost of National Guard duty for a mission assignment validated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency pursuant to certain declarations related to the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) public health emergency. The bill applies to declarations, with respect to COVID-19, of major disasters, emergencies, national emergencies, and public health emergencies.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 25, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
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