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District of Columbia Police Home Rule Act

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Chamber: Senate

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Jan 28, 2021)

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 117 HR 656 | Identical bill | Feb 1, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform. |

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This bill restricts the authority of the President to assume control of the District of Columbia Metropolitan Police Department during an emergency.

Actions Timeline

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