



# S 273

United States Colored Troops Congressional Gold Medal Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Feb 7, 2023

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (Feb 7, 2023)

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### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]

Party: Democratic • State: NJ • Chamber: Senate

#### **Cosponsors** (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	$D \cdot VA$		Feb 16, 2023
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	$D \cdot MA$		Feb 16, 2023
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	$D\cdotMT$		Jan 16, 2024

#### **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 7, 2023

### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 865	Identical bill	Feb 7, 2023: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

**Summary** (as of Feb 7, 2023)

## **United States Colored Troops Congressional Gold Medal Act**

This bill provides for the award of a Congressional Gold Medal posthumously to the African Americans who served with Union forces in recognition of their bravery and outstanding service during the Civil War.

Actions Timeline
• Feb 7, 2023: Introduced in Senate
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