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HR 780

To authorize and request the President to award the Medal of Honor to James L. Cadigan of Hingham,

Massachusetts.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations Introduced: Feb 28, 2001

Current Status: Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from DOD.

Latest Action: Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from DOD. (Jul 30, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Delahunt, William D. [D-MA-10]

Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 15, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 28, 2001)

Authorizes and requests the President to award the Medal of Honor to James L. Cadigan of Hingham, Massachusetts, for conspicuous acts of gallantry at the risk of his life and beyond the call of duty in an assault to secure high ground north of Zerf, Germany, on February 26, 1945, during World War II.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 30, 2001: Unfavorable Executive Comment Received from DOD.
- Mar 15, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
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