

HR 1911

To amend title 38, United States Code, to enhance cooperation and the sharing of resources between the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Defense.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: May 1, 2003

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Total Force.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Total Force. (Jul 18, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Boozman, John [R-AR-3]

Party: Republican • **State:** AR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Evans, Lane [D-IL-17]	D · IL		May 1, 2003
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		May 1, 2003
Rep. Rodriguez, Ciro D. [D-TX-28]	D · TX		May 1, 2003
Rep. Simmons, Rob [R-CT-2]	R · CT		May 1, 2003
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		May 1, 2003
Resident Commissioner Acevedo-Vila, Anibal [D-PR-At Large]	D · PR		May 14, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 18, 2003
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	May 6, 2003
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 22, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Establishes an interagency committee to be known as the Department of Veterans Affairs-Department of Defense Joint Executive Committee to: (1) recommend to the Secretary of each department strategic direction for joint health-care resources coordination and sharing efforts between and within such departments; and (2) oversee implementation of those efforts.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 18, 2003:** Executive Comment Requested from DOD.
- **Jul 18, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Total Force.
- **May 22, 2003:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **May 21, 2003:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4398-4399)
- **May 21, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 426 - 0 (Roll no. 204).(text: CR 5/20/2003 H4272)
- **May 21, 2003:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 426 - 0 (Roll no. 204). (text: CR 5/20/2003 H4272)
- **May 21, 2003:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 20, 2003:** Mr. Boozman moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **May 20, 2003:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4272-4273)
- **May 20, 2003:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1911.
- **May 20, 2003:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **May 19, 2003:** Reported by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H. Rept. 108-115, Part I.
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- **May 19, 2003:** House Committee on Armed Services Granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than May 19, 2003.
- **May 19, 2003:** Committee on Armed Services discharged.
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- **May 19, 2003:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 59.
- **May 15, 2003:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 15, 2003:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 6, 2003:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 6, 2003:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote.
- **May 5, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **May 1, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **May 1, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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.
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