

# HR 2413

National Guard and Reserves Reform Act for the 21st Century

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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### **Sponsor**

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Party: Republican • State: SC • Chamber: House

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	<b>Date Joined</b>
Rep. Barrett, J. Gresham [R-SC-3]	$R \cdot SC$		Jun 10, 2003
Rep. Burns, Max [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Bartlett, Roscoe G. [R-MD-6]	$R \cdot MD$		Jun 14, 2004
Rep. LaHood, Ray [R-IL-18]	$R \cdot IL$		Sep 28, 2004

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 18, 2003
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 10, 2003

### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 2168	Identical bill	Jul 18, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on Total Force.
108 S 1000	Identical bill	May 6, 2003: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5777-5779)

#### **Summary** (as of Jun 10, 2003)

National Guard and Reserves Reform Act for the 21st Century - Makes an individual eligible for retired pay for non-regular (reserve) military service if such individual: (1) satisfies one of specified combinations of minimum age (between 55 and 60) and years of service (between 20 and 30); (2) performed the last six years of qualifying service in currently authorized categories of military service, but not while a member of a regular component, the Fleet Reserve, or the Fleet Marine Corps Reserve; and (3) is not entitled to any other retirement pay from an armed force or as a member of the Fleet Reserves.

Authorizes a member of the Selected Reserve to enroll for self or for self and family under the TRICARE program (a Department of Defense managed health care program).

Amends the Internal Revenue Code to provide a reserve component employment credit equal to the sum of the employment credit with respect to all qualified employees of the taxpayer and the self-employment credit of a qualified self-employed taxpayer. Limits the credit to \$25,000 for each qualified employee. Disallows the credit for failure to comply with reserve member employment or reemployment rights, or when a reserve member is called or ordered to active duty for training.

#### **Actions Timeline**

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