

S 2849

A bill to provide certain enhancements to the Montgomery GI Bill Program for certain individuals who serve as members of the Armed Forces after the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, and for other purposes.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Sep 27, 2004

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S97

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S9724) (Sep 27, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]

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

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	R · MN		Nov 16, 2004
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	R · NV		Nov 16, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 27, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 5349	Related bill	Oct 21, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on Benefits.

Summary (as of Sep 27, 2004)

Exempts from the mandatory payroll deductions (\$100 for the first 12 months of active duty pay) under the veterans' basic educational assistance program, members of the Armed Forces and Selected Reserve on active duty between November 16, 2001, and the termination date of Executive Order 13235, who elect to receive basic educational assistance. Provides for reimbursement of payroll deductions taken prior to the enactment of this Act. Allows such members to withdraw an election not to receive basic educational assistance.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 27, 2004:** Introduced in Senate
- **Sep 27, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S9723-9724)
- **Sep 27, 2004:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduce: CR S9724)