

HR 3474

Keep Our Promise to America's Military Retirees Act

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Nov 6, 2003

Current Status: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E210)

Latest Action: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E210) (Feb 24, 2004)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MD • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (250 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cunningham, Randy (Duke) [R-CA-50]	R · CA		Nov 6, 2003
Rep. Edwards, Chet [D-TX-11]	D · TX		Nov 6, 2003
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Nov 6, 2003
Del. Christensen, Donna M. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Alexander, Rodney [D-LA-5]	D · LA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Bass, Charles F. [R-NH-2]	R · NH		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]	D · GA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Boyd, Allen [D-FL-2]	D · FL		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3]	D · FL		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Cardoza, Dennis A. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Cramer, Robert E. (Bud), Jr. [D-AL-5]	D · AL		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Delahunt, William D. [D-MA-10]	D · MA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Dooley, Calvin M. [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Evans, Lane [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Frost, Martin [D-TX-24]	D · TX		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Gutierrez, Luis V. [D-IL-4]	D · IL		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Hart, Melissa A. [R-PA-4]	R · PA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Hinchey, Maurice D. [D-NY-22]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Holden, Tim [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Jones, Stephanie Tubbs [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Kennedy, Patrick J. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Kildee, Dale E. [D-MI-5]	D · MI		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-5]	R · IA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Kline, John [R-MN-2]	R · MN		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Lantos, Tom [D-CA-12]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. LaTourette, Steven C. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003

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Rep. Lipinski, William O. [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Matsui, Robert T. [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. McCarthy, Carolyn [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Pallone, Frank, Jr. [D-NJ-6]	D · NJ		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Rodriguez, Ciro D. [D-TX-28]	D · TX		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]	D · OH		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT-At Large]	I · VT		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Solis, Hilda L. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Strickland, Ted [D-OH-6]	D · OH		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Taylor, Charles H. [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Udall, Mark [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Nov 21, 2003
Resident Commissioner Acevedo-Vila, Anibal [D-PR-At Large]	D · PR		Nov 21, 2003
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Nov 25, 2003
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Bell, Chris [D-TX-25]	D · TX		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Berry, Marion [D-AR-1]	D · AR		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Boswell, Leonard L. [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Bradley, Jeb [R-NH-1]	R · NH		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Burns, Max [R-GA-12]	R · GA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-10]	D · TX		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Frank, Barney [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Hoeffel, Joseph M. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Inslee, Jay [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Marshall, Jim [D-GA-3]	D · GA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Dec 8, 2003

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Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]	D · WV		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Taylor, Gene [D-MS-4]	D · MS		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Turner, Jim [D-TX-2]	D · TX		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Baca, Joe [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Ballance, Frank W., Jr. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Capito, Shelley Moore [R-WV-2]	R · WV		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Deutsch, Peter [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Emanuel, Rahm [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Emerson, Jo Ann [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-2]	R · AZ		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Goode, Virgil H., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Hayes, Robin [R-NC-8]	R · NC		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Lucas, Ken [D-KY-4]	D · KY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. McIntyre, Mike [D-NC-7]	D · NC		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Oberstar, James L. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Pearce, Stevan [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Pickering, Charles W. "Chip" [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Ross, Mike [D-AR-4]	D · AR		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-1]	D · CA		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Turner, Michael R. [R-OH-3]	R · OH		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Wamp, Zach [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Weiner, Anthony D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Wilson, Heather [R-NM-1]	R · NM		Jan 20, 2004
Rep. Wu, David [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jan 20, 2004

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Rep. Brown-Waite, Ginny [R-FL-5]	R · FL		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Gonzalez, Charles A. [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Gordon, Bart [D-TN-6]	D · TN		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA-6]	R · GA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. John, Christopher [D-LA-7]	D · LA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Keller, Ric [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Lampson, Nick [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Matheson, Jim [D-UT-2]	D · UT		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Norwood, Charles W. [R-GA-9]	R · GA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Olver, John W. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Reyes, Silvestre [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Rogers, Mike D. [R-AL-3]	R · AL		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Sandlin, Max [D-TX-1]	D · TX		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Vitter, David [R-LA-1]	R · LA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Whitfield, Ed [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		Jan 27, 2004
Rep. Allen, Thomas H. [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Feb 3, 2004
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Feb 3, 2004
Rep. Miller, Brad [D-NC-13]	D · NC		Feb 3, 2004
Rep. Pelosi, Nancy [D-CA-8]	D · CA		Feb 3, 2004
Rep. Platts, Todd Russell [R-PA-19]	R · PA		Feb 3, 2004
Rep. Udall, Tom [D-NM-3]	D · NM		Feb 3, 2004
Rep. Johnson, Timothy V. [R-IL-15]	R · IL		Feb 4, 2004
Rep. Weldon, Dave [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Feb 4, 2004
Rep. Capps, Lois [D-CA-23]	D · CA		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Crenshaw, Ander [R-FL-4]	R · FL		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Tancredo, Thomas G. [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Bartlett, Roscoe G. [R-MD-6]	R · MD		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Bilirakis, Michael [R-FL-9]	R · FL		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Chandler, Ben [D-KY-6]	D · KY		Feb 24, 2004

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Rep. Davis, Lincoln [D-TN-4]	D · TN		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Herger, Wally [R-CA-2]	R · CA		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Musgrave, Marilyn N. [R-CO-4]	R · CO		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Renzi, Rick [R-AZ-1]	R · AZ		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Costello, Jerry F. [D-IL-12]	D · IL		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Ortiz, Solomon P. [D-TX-27]	D · TX		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Berman, Howard L. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Mar 2, 2004
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Mar 2, 2004
Rep. Porter, Jon C. [R-NV-3]	R · NV		Mar 2, 2004
Rep. Dicks, Norman D. [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Etheridge, Bob [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Kelly, Sue W. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]	D · MD		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Simmons, Rob [R-CT-2]	R · CT		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Boucher, Rick [D-VA-9]	D · VA		Mar 10, 2004
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Mar 10, 2004
Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-29]	D · CA		Mar 10, 2004
Rep. Stenholm, Charles W. [D-TX-17]	D · TX		Mar 10, 2004
Rep. Ford, Harold E., Jr. [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Hall, Ralph M. [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Kucinich, Dennis J. [D-OH-10]	D · OH		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Wolf, Frank R. [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-44]	R · CA		Mar 17, 2004
Rep. LaHood, Ray [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Mar 17, 2004
Rep. Hooley, Darlene [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Mar 23, 2004
Rep. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		Mar 23, 2004
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Mar 25, 2004
Rep. Collins, Mac [R-GA-8]	R · GA		Apr 2, 2004
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Cannon, Chris [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Nethercutt, George R., Jr. [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Shaw, E. Clay, Jr. [R-FL-22]	R · FL		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Apr 20, 2004
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Apr 21, 2004
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Apr 21, 2004

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Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Gibbons, Jim [R-NV-2]	R · NV		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. McKeon, Howard P. "Buck" [R-CA-25]	R · CA		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Mica, John L. [R-FL-7]	R · FL		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	R · IL		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Tierney, John F. [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Apr 27, 2004
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		May 4, 2004
Rep. Jenkins, William L. [R-TN-1]	R · TN		May 4, 2004
Rep. Ramstad, Jim [R-MN-3]	R · MN		May 4, 2004
Rep. Tanner, John S. [D-TN-8]	D · TN		May 5, 2004
Rep. Burr, Richard [R-NC-5]	R · NC		May 11, 2004
Rep. Foley, Mark [R-FL-16]	R · FL		May 11, 2004
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-14]	D · CA		May 13, 2004
Rep. Green, Mark [R-WI-8]	R · WI		May 13, 2004
Rep. Davis, Artur [D-AL-7]	D · AL		May 17, 2004
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		May 18, 2004
Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2]	R · NJ		May 18, 2004
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-16]	D · CA		May 18, 2004
Rep. Roybal-Allard, Lucille [D-CA-34]	D · CA		May 18, 2004
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		May 19, 2004
Rep. Bono, Mary [R-CA-45]	R · CA		May 20, 2004
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		May 20, 2004
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Lewis, Ron [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Pastor, Ed [D-AZ-4]	D · AZ		Jun 2, 2004
Rep. Gallegly, Elton [R-CA-24]	R · CA		Jun 8, 2004
Rep. Goss, Porter J. [R-FL-14]	R · FL		Jun 8, 2004
Rep. McCarthy, Karen [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jun 9, 2004
Rep. Otter, C. L. (Butch) [R-ID-1]	R · ID		Jun 9, 2004
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jun 14, 2004
Rep. Sanchez, Loretta [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jun 14, 2004
Rep. Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Jun 16, 2004
Rep. Brown, Henry E., Jr. [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Gerlach, Jim [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Kanjorski, Paul E. [D-PA-11]	D · PA		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Majette, Denise L. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Schrock, Edward L. [R-VA-2]	R · VA		Jul 8, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 6, 2003
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 14, 2003
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 17, 2003
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 10, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 S 2065	Related bill	Feb 11, 2004: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

Summary (as of Nov 6, 2003)

Keep Our Promise to America's Military Retirees Act - Directs the Secretary of Defense to enter into an agreement with the Office of Personnel Management to provide Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) coverage to the following eligible beneficiaries: (1) a member or former member entitled to military retired or retainer pay; (2) an unremarried former spouse who was married to a member for at least 20 years, during which such member performed at least 20 years of retirement-creditable military service; (3) a dependent of a deceased qualifying member or former member; (4) a dependent of a living member or former member; and (5) a family member.

Directs the Secretary to reimburse such eligible persons for pharmacy benefits received from a pharmacy that is not a TRICARE (Department of Defense managed health care plan) network pharmacy in the same manner as the Secretary would reimburse such person for such benefits received from a TRICARE network pharmacy. Requires such persons, in order to receive such reimbursement, to submit a certification from their physician stating that the person does not have access to a TRICARE network pharmacy due to physical or medical constraints.

Amends title XVIII (Medicare) of the Social Security Act to waive the monthly part B premium (Supplementary Medical Insurance Benefits for the Aged and Disabled) with respect to: (1) an individual who is entitled to military retired or retainer pay based upon service that began before December 7, 1956; and (2) the spouse, widow, or widower of such individuals.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 24, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E210)
- **Nov 17, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Civil Service and Agency Organization.
- **Nov 14, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 10, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Nov 6, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Nov 6, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2258)
- **Nov 6, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform, Ways and Means, and Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **Nov 6, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform, Ways and Means, and Energy and Commerce, 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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