

## S 2634

A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to strike the term of the positions Under Secretary for Health and the Under Secretary for Benefits and simplify appointments to such positions.

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Apr 24, 2006

**Current Status:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held.

**Latest Action:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. (May 11, 2006)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Craig, Larry E. [R-ID]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	May 11, 2006

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Apr 24, 2006)

Repeals the: (1) four-year terms for the positions of the Under Secretary for Health and the Under Secretary for Benefits within the Department of Veterans Affairs; and (2) requirement that, whenever there is a vacancy in either position, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs establish a commission to recommend individuals for appointment.

### Actions Timeline

- **May 11, 2006:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held.
- **Apr 24, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 24, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3424-3425)
- **Apr 24, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.