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HR 269

Montgomery GI Bill Enhancement Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity. (Apr 4, 2005)

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Rep. Foley, Mark [R-FL-16]	$R \cdot FL$	Sep 14, 2005
Rep. Manzullo, Donald A. [R-IL-16]	$R \cdot IL$	Oct 6, 2005
Rep. Strickland, Ted [D-OH-6]	D · OH	Oct 6, 2005
Rep. English, Phil [R-PA-3]	$R \cdot PA$	Oct 18, 2005
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	$R \cdot TX$	Oct 26, 2005
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	$R \cdot MI$	Dec 16, 2005
Rep. Bilirakis, Michael [R-FL-9]	$R \cdot FL$	Mar 16, 2006
Rep. Barrow, John [D-GA-12]	D · GA	May 17, 2006
Rep. LoBiondo, Frank A. [R-NJ-2]	$R \cdot NJ$	Jun 8, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 27, 2005
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 4, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 2091	Related bill	Dec 13, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
Summary (as of Jan 6, 2005)		

Montgomery GI Bill Enhancement Act of 2005 - Authorizes an individual, during the year following enactment of this Act, to make an irrevocable election for entitlement to basic educational assistance under the Montgomery GI Bill if such individual: (1) first became a member of the armed forces or entered active duty before July 1, 1985; (2) has served on active duty without a break in service and continues to serve for some or all of the year before enactment of this Act; (3) has completed requirements of a secondary school diploma or the equivalent of 12 semester hours in a program leading to a standard college degree; and (4) is discharged or released from active duty honorably.

Requires such individual's basic pay to be reduced, over an 18-month period, until the total reduction is \$2,700, as a contribution toward such educational assistance.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 4, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- Jan 27, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- Jan 6, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Jan 6, 2005: 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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