

## HR 3147

Veterans Road to Health Care Act of 2005

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**Chamber:** House

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

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 25, 2005)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 25, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 996	Related bill	<b>May 11, 2005:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

## Summary (as of Jun 30, 2005)

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Veterans Road to Health Care Act of 2005 - Directs the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to pay the travel expenses of a veteran whose travel is in connection with treatment or care for a non-service-connected disability at a non-Department of Veterans Affairs facility if the treatment or care: (1) is provided upon the recommendation of Department medical personnel; and (2) is not available at the Department medical center or clinic at which the recommendation is made.

Requires the Secretary, in calculating travel expenses under the Veterans Beneficiary Travel Program, to utilize the current Federal mileage reimbursement rates for the use on official business of privately owned vehicles.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 25, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 30, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Jun 30, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.