

## S 3859

Help Our Patriots Employment (HOPE) Act of 2006

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Sep 6, 2006

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Sep 6, 2006)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/3859>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 6, 2006

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 3865	Identical bill	<b>Sep 7, 2006:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

### Summary (as of Sep 6, 2006)

Help Our Patriots Employment (HOPE) Act of 2006 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) include veterans entitled to compensation for a service-connected disability as targeted group members for purposes of the work opportunity tax credit; and (2) increase from \$6,000 to \$12,000 the amount of first-year wages eligible for the work opportunity tax credit in the case of a veteran with a service-connected disability.

Authorizes additional appropriations for FY2008 and FY2009 to operate the National Veterans' Employment and Training Services Institute.

### Actions Timeline

- Sep 6, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
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