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Volunteer Emergency Services Recruitment and Retention Act of 2007

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jul 20, 2007

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

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Jul 20, 2007)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/senate-bill/1840>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

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Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Sep 4, 2007
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 20, 2007

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 2160	Identical bill	<b>Jul 17, 2007:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions.

### Summary (as of Jul 20, 2007)

Volunteer Emergency Services Recruitment and Retention Act of 2007 - Amends the Internal Revenue Code to allow sponsors of certain deferred compensation plans to elect to include length of service award plans for bona fide volunteers providing fire fighting and prevention services, emergency medical services, ambulance services, and emergency rescue services.

Directs the Secretary of Labor to issue regulations exempting a length of service award program from treatment as an employee pension benefit plan under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

## Actions Timeline

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