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Support for Injured Servicemembers Act of 2007

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Jul 26, 2007

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S10190-10191) (Jul 27, 2007)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 27, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 5090	Related bill	Feb 28, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
110 HR 3481	Related bill	Oct 17, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
110 HR 3391	Related bill	Sep 19, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
110 S 1975	Related bill	Aug 2, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
110 S 1898	Related bill	Jul 30, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Jul 26, 2007)

Support for Injured Servicemembers Act of 2007 - Amends the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 to entitle an eligible employee to a combined total of 26 workweeks of leave, during any 12-month period, to care for a member of the U.S. Armed Forces with a combat-related injury (servicemember), if such employee is the servicemember's primary caregiver.

Provides for the substitution of accrued paid vacation, personal, or family leave for any part of the 26-week period.

Amends federal civil service law to entitle civilian federal employees to the same leave allowance. Provides for the substitution of accrued paid annual or sick leave for any part of the 26-week period.

Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 26, 2007:** Introduced in Senate

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