

## HR 3167

Fair Mental Health Evaluation for Returning Veterans Act

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Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 14, 2007

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Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 1817	Related bill	<b>Jul 19, 2007:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

Summary (as of Jul 24, 2007)

Fair Mental Health Evaluation for Returning Veterans Act - Prohibits the Secretary of a military department from discharging due to a personality disorder a member of the Armed Forces who has served on active duty in a combat zone until the later of the date of: (1) completion by the Secretary of Defense (Secretary) of a review of Department of Defense (DOD) policies and procedures for diagnosing such a disorder; (2) issuance by the Secretary of policies and procedures to ensure the appropriate use of such a discharge; (3) establishment by the Secretary of an independent review board for personality disorder discharges; (4) submittal by the Secretary of a report to Congress on progress in implementing the requirements under (1) through (3), above; or (5) the date that is 45 days after the date of the submission of the report referred to in (4), which period shall permit Congress to consider the report.

Provides an exception to such requirement in the case of a member who, during recruitment for or enlistment in the Armed Forces, provided false or misleading information, or omitted providing information about past criminal behavior, that is material to a discharge for personality disorder.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 14, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Jul 24, 2007:** Introduced in House
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