

HR 5315

To grant the Congressional Gold Medal to a group of soldiers from World War II.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2008
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 25, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 7, 2008)

Authorizes the award of a single Congressional Gold Medal to collectively honor the American soldiers who were prisoners of war in Bataan, Philippines, during World War II, in recognition of their personal sacrifice and service to their country. Provides for the Medal's display at the Smithsonian Institution.

Expresses the sense of Congress that the Medal should be made available for display elsewhere, particularly at locations associated with the prisoners of war at Bataan.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 25, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology.
- **Feb 7, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 7, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E138-139)
- **Feb 7, 2008:** Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.