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Filipino Veterans Equity Act of 2007

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Jan 4, 2007

Current Status: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 110-70.

Latest Action: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 110-70. (Apr 11, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]

Party: Democratic • State: HI • Chamber: Senate

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Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jan 8, 2007
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	$D \cdot NY$		Feb 7, 2007
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	$D \cdot NY$		Feb 7, 2007
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 14, 2007
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Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	$D\cdotWA$		Mar 19, 2007
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Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	$D \cdot NV$		Mar 26, 2007
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		May 2, 2007
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	$D\cdotMD$		May 3, 2007
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	$D\cdotMD$		Jun 5, 2007
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	$D \cdot NJ$		Jun 12, 2007
Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	D·IL		Jun 15, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Apr 11, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 4, 2007)

Filipino Veterans Equity Act of 2007 - Deems certain service performed before July 1, 1946, in the organized military forces of the Philippines and the Philippine Scouts as active military service for purposes of eligibility for veterans' benefits through the Department of Veterans Affairs. Repeals certain provisions discounting such service as qualifying service.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 11, 2007: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 110-70.
- Jan 4, 2007: Introduced in Senate
- Jan 4, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S75-76)
- Jan 4, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S76)