

HR 6032

To amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide wartime disability compensation for certain veterans with Parkinson's Disease.

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Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 12, 2008

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Adds Parkinson's disease (manifested to a degree of disability of 10% or more) to the list of diseases considered to have been incurred in or aggravated by military service in Vietnam, notwithstanding that there is no evidence of the disease during the period of service, provided a veteran served between specified dates and was exposed to an herbicide used in military operations during that period.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 12, 2008:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **May 16, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **May 13, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **May 13, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.