

S 3192

Fair Access to Veterans Benefits Act of 2010

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 111-623.

Latest Action: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 111-623. (May 19, 2010)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Specter, Arlen [D-PA]

Party: Republican • **State:** PA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Jun 24, 2010
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Nov 15, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	May 19, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 5064	Related bill	Jul 27, 2010: Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
111 HR 5045	Identical bill	Apr 16, 2010: Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.

Summary (as of Apr 12, 2010)

Fair Access to Veterans Benefits Act of 2010 - Extends the 120-day limit for the filing of an appeal to the Court of Veterans Appeals after a final decision of the Board of Veterans' Appeals upon a showing of good cause for such time as justice may require.

Makes such extension applicable to appeals of final Board decisions issued on or after July 24, 2008.

Actions Timeline

- **May 19, 2010:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 111-623.
- **Apr 12, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 12, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S2209-2210)
- **Apr 12, 2010:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.