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Military Families Financial Preparedness Act

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Military Families Financial Preparedness Act - Requires the following information to be included as part of preseparation counseling provided to members of the Armed Forces and their spouses: (1) survivor benefits available through the Secretary of Defense (DOD) or Veterans Affairs (VA); (2) budgeting, saving, credit, loans, and taxes; (3) home loan services and housing assistance available through DOD or the VA and counseling on responsible borrowing practices; and (4) additional counseling regarding the member's actual entitlement to benefits and how to apply for such benefits.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 28, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
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