

## HR 5443

### Spouses of Fallen Heroes Scholarship Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity. (May 28, 2010)

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## Sponsor

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Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Jun 17, 2010
Rep. McNearney, Jerry [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Jun 17, 2010
Rep. Murphy, Scott [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Jun 17, 2010

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 28, 2010

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 6372	Related bill	Sep 29, 2010: Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

## Summary (as of May 27, 2010)

Spouses of Fallen Heroes Scholarship Act - Entitles to educational assistance under the post-9/11 educational assistance program the surviving spouses of members of the Armed Forces who die while serving on active duty on or after September 11, 2001. Allows such spouses 15 years after the member's death to utilize such assistance.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 28, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **May 27, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **May 27, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.