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Department of Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]

Party: Democratic • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Reported Original Measure	Jun 22, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 4401	Related bill	Jul 10, 2012: Referred to the Subcommittee on Strategic Forces.
112 S 1867	Related bill	Dec 1, 2011: See also H.R. 1540.
112 S 1253	Related bill	Jul 13, 2011: Senate Committee on Armed Services. Hearings held prior to introduction and/or referral. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 112-80, pt. 2.

Department of Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012 - Authorizes appropriations for the Department of Defense (DOD) for FY2012.

Authorizes appropriations to DOD for: (1) procurement, including aircraft, missiles, weapons and tracked combat vehicles, ammunition, shipbuilding and conversion, and other procurement; (2) research, development, test, and evaluation; (3) operation and maintenance; (4) active and reserve military personnel; (5) Working Capital Funds; (6) the National Defense Sealift Fund; (7) the Defense Health Program; (8) chemical agents and munitions destruction; (9) drug interdiction and counter-drug activities; (10) the Defense Inspector General; (11) the Armed Forces Retirement Home; and (12) overseas contingency operations.

Sets forth provisions or requirements concerning: (1) military personnel policy, including education and training, military justice, and sexual assault prevention and response; (2) military pay and allowances; (3) military health care; (4) acquisition policy and management, including major defense acquisition programs; (5) DOD organization and management, including space, intelligence, and cybersecurity matters; (6) financial matters, including counter-drug activities and detainee matters; (7) civilian personnel matters; (8) matters relating to foreign nations, including assistance and training; and (9) cooperative threat reduction.

Revises and adds new offenses under the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) relating to rape, sexual assault, and other sexual misconduct.

Provides procedures for the judicial review of decisions concerning the correction of military personnel records.

Consolidates and revises DOD travel and transportation authorities.

Establishes: (1) the Joint Urgent Operational Needs Fund, and (2) the Global Security Contingency Fund.

Requires a DOD plan to acquire capabilities to detect previously unknown cyber attacks.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 22, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Committee on Armed Services. Original measure reported to Senate by Senator Levin. Without written report.
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