

HR 1657

To amend title 38, United States Code, to revise the enforcement penalties for misrepresentation of a business concern as a small business concern owned and controlled by veterans or as a small business concern owned and controlled by service-disabled veterans.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (May 24, 2011)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	May 5, 2011
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1184	Identical bill	Jun 13, 2012: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 112-567.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Directs that any business determined by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs (VA) to have misrepresented its status as a small business owned and controlled by veterans or service-disabled veterans in order to increase its contracting opportunities shall be debarred from contracting with the VA for not less than five years (under current law, for a reasonable period as determined by the Secretary).

Requires the Secretary to commence the debarment action within 30 days after the misrepresentation determination, and to complete such action within 90 days after such determination. Includes in the debarment all principals in the business.

Actions Timeline

- **May 24, 2011:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **May 23, 2011:** Mr. Miller (FL) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **May 23, 2011:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H3316-3317)
- **May 23, 2011:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1657.
- **May 23, 2011:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **May 23, 2011:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H3321-3322)
- **May 23, 2011:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 385 - 1 (Roll no. 332).(text: CR H3316)
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- **May 23, 2011:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 20, 2011:** Reported by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H. Rept. 112-85. Filed late, pursuant to previous special order.
- **May 20, 2011:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 46.
- **May 12, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 12, 2011:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 5, 2011:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 5, 2011:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- **May 3, 2011:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 29, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **Apr 15, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 15, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.