

HR 2498

Veterans Day Moment of Silence Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Mar 29, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1348	Identical bill	Jul 12, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Veterans Day Moment of Silence Act - Directs the President to issue an annual proclamation calling on the people of the United States to observe two minutes of silence on Veterans Day, beginning at 2:11 p.m. eastern time, in honor of the service and sacrifice of veterans throughout the history of the nation.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 29, 2012:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Jul 15, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **Jul 12, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 12, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.