

HR 2185

Veterans Day Moment of Silence Act

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Chamber: House

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 11, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 4435	Related bill	Jun 5, 2014: Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 425.
113 S 1648	Related bill	Nov 5, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Summary (as of May 23, 2013)

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 3:11 p.m. Atlantic standard time, in honor of the service and sacrifice of veterans throughout the history of the nation.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 11, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **May 23, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **May 23, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.