

HR 3152

Pay Our Veterans and Seniors First Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Economics and Public Finance

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Sponsor

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Young, Todd [R-IN-9]	R · IN		Sep 26, 2013
Rep. Barrow, John [D-GA-12]	D · GA		Sep 28, 2013
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Rep. Rooney, Thomas J. [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Sep 30, 2013
Rep. Yoder, Kevin [R-KS-3]	R · KS		Sep 30, 2013
Rep. Wittman, Robert J. [R-VA-1]	R · VA		Oct 1, 2013
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Jul 31, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 6, 2013
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Sep 19, 2013
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 20, 2013
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 19, 2013
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 19, 2013
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 19, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Economics and Public Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Pay Our Veterans and Seniors First Act - Prohibits a Member of Congress, the President, the Vice President, and the head of any executive department from receiving: (1) basic pay for any period in which there is more than a 24-hour lapse in appropriations for any executive agency as a result of a failure to enact a regular appropriations bill or continuing resolution, or (2) retroactive pay for such period.

Requires the Secretary of the Treasury, during any lapse in FY2014 appropriations when interim or full-year appropriations for the affected accounts have not been enacted, to transfer to the appropriate Secretary from amounts in the general fund of the Treasury not otherwise appropriated such amounts as are necessary to provide the following:

- pay and allowances to members of the Armed Forces, including reserve component members, who perform active service;
- benefits under the TRICARE for Life program, Medicare, and title II (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) of the Social Security Act; and
- veterans' benefits and programs.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 6, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Sep 20, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power.
- **Sep 19, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 19, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, House Administration, Ways and Means, Energy and Commerce, and Veterans' Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.