

HR 3187

Military Pay Protection Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation. (Sep 27, 2013)

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Committee Activity

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| Armed Services Committee | House | Referred To | Sep 26, 2013 |
| Transportation and Infrastructure Committee | House | Referred to | Sep 27, 2013 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 113 S 1541 | Related bill | Sep 24, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. |
| 113 S 1543 | Related bill | Sep 24, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. |
| 113 S 171 | Related bill | Jan 29, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. |

Military Pay Protection Act of 2013 - Requires the Secretary of the Treasury, during a government-wide shutdown, to make available to the Secretary of Defense (DOD), and the Secretary of Homeland Security (DHS) in the case of the Coast Guard, out of any amounts in the general fund of the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such amounts as necessary to continue to provide pay and allowances to members of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, including reserve components, who perform active service during the shutdown. Allows for the provision of such pay and allowances, at the discretion of the DOD Secretary, to: (1) DOD civilian personnel providing support to such members, and (2) DOD contractor personnel providing direct support to such members.

Makes additional funding available as necessary to prevent interruptions or delays in the performance of domestic disaster relief and recovery operations during the shutdown.

Defines "government-wide shutdown" as any portion of a fiscal year during which none of the appropriation bills for the fiscal year have become law and an Act or joint resolution making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year is not in effect.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 27, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation.
- **Sep 26, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 26, 2013:** Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.