

## HR 1067

U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims Reform Act

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 25, 2015
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	May 14, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims Reform Act**

This bill extends the temporary expansion of the Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims.

Specified recall provisions for retired Court judges are amended, including changing the recall period from 90 days in a calendar year to 90 days.

A regular service judge and a retired judge shall be treated as an employee for government life insurance purposes.

Regular service judges, retired recall eligible judges, and certain retired but not recall-eligible judges may purchase up to an additional year of service credit for each year of federal judicial service completed.

The salary of Court judges is set at the rate applicable to federal appellate court judges. (Currently, their salary is set at the rate applicable to federal district court judges.)

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 14, 2015:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 14, 2015:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
- **Apr 14, 2015:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 6, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **Feb 25, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 25, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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.