

## HR 2067

Cold War Service Medal Act of 2015

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## Committee Activity

| Committee                | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Armed Services Committee | House   | Referred to | Aug 13, 2015 |

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## **Cold War Service Medal Act of 2015**

Authorizes the military department concerned to issue the Cold War Service Medal to members of the Armed Forces who: (1) served on active duty for at least 24 consecutive months during the Cold War (September 2, 1945, through December 26, 1991); (2) were deployed outside the continental United States for at least 30 days during such period; (3) were members of a reserve component of the Armed Forces and were called or ordered to active duty to participate in exercises or operations directly related to the Cold War; or (4) performed other Cold War service as DOD may prescribe. Disqualifies any such person who was not discharged or released from the Armed Forces under under honorable conditions.

Expresses the sense of Congress that DOD should expedite the design and issuance of the Medal.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Aug 13, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
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