

HR 5874

Guardians of America's Freedom Medal Act

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

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Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 11, 2016

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 5674	Identical bill	Aug 11, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
114 S 3064	Identical bill	Jun 16, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

Summary (as of Jul 14, 2016)

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This bill requires each military department to carry out a program to award medals or other commendations to military working dogs and their handlers to recognize valor or meritorious achievement.

Actions Timeline

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