

HRES 643

Honoring women who have served, and who are currently serving, as members of the Armed Forces and recognizing the recently expanded service opportunities available to female members of the Armed Forces.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel. (Mar 21, 2016)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Armed Services Committee | House | Referred to | Mar 21, 2016 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 114 HRES 681 | Identical bill | May 5, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel. |

Summary (as of Mar 15, 2016)

Honors women who have served, and who are currently serving, as members of the Armed Forces.

Commends female members of the Armed Forces who have sacrificed their lives in defense of the United States.

Recognizes that female members of the Armed Forces are an integral part of the Armed Forces.

Urges the Department of Defense (DOD) to ensure that female members of the Armed Forces: (1) receive adequate, well-fitted equipment; and (2) have access to health services that address their specific medical needs.

Encourages DOD to develop new initiatives to recruit and retain more women in the officer corps.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 21, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Mar 15, 2016:** Introduced in House
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