

## HR 832

Veterans Employment and Training Service Longitudinal Study Act of 2015

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

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**Current Status:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .

**Latest Action:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote . (Jun 25, 2015)

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### Sponsor

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Feb 10, 2015
Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Apr 16, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	Jun 25, 2015

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 S 2921	Related bill	<b>May 16, 2016:</b> Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 467.

## **Veterans Employment and Training Service Longitudinal Study Act of 2015**

Directs the Secretary of Labor to enter into a contract with a non-governmental entity to conduct a longitudinal study of a statistically valid sample of each of the following groups of individuals over a period of at least five years: (1) veterans who have received intensive job counseling, training, and placement services; (2) veterans who did not receive intensive services but who otherwise received services; and (3) veterans who did not seek or receive services.

Requires the study to include the collection of specified information for each individual who participates in the study, including:

- the average number of months served on active duty,
- the distribution of disability ratings,
- unemployment benefits received,
- the average number of months employed and average individual and household annual income,
- employment status,
- whether the individual believes that any service received helped the individual to become employed,
- use of educational assistance,
- participation in a vocational rehabilitation program,
- conditions of discharge or release from the Armed Forces, and
- demographic information.

Directs the Secretary to submit annual reports on the outcomes of the study that include any information the Secretary determines is necessary to determine long-term outcomes of the individuals in such groups.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 25, 2015:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 25, 2015:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- **Jun 2, 2015:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Feb 20, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **Feb 10, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 10, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.