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Dust Off Crews of the Vietnam War Congressional Gold Medal Act

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Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jun 12, 2017
Sen. Toomey, Patrick [R-PA]	R · PA		Jun 12, 2017
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Nov 13, 2017
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		May 10, 2018
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Jun 25, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 12, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 2885	Related bill	Jun 12, 2017: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, 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.

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This bill directs the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President pro tempore of the Senate to make appropriate arrangements for the presentation of a Congressional Gold Medal in honor of the Dust Off crews (helicopter air ambulance crews) of the Vietnam War in recognition of their heroic military service.

It is the sense of Congress that the Smithsonian Institution should also make such medal available for display elsewhere, particularly at appropriate locations associated with the Vietnam War, and that preference should be given to locations affiliated with the Smithsonian.

Actions Timeline

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