

HR 1662

To amend title 38, United States Code, to prohibit smoking in any facility of the Veterans Health Administration, and for other purposes.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Mar 21, 2017

Current Status: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 806.

Latest Action: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 806. (Nov 16, 2018)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	Apr 6, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 2119	Related bill	Nov 13, 2017: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7178)

Summary (as of Mar 21, 2017)

This bill prohibits smoking: (1) indoors in any Veterans Health Administration facility, and (2) outdoors in any such facility as of October 1, 2022.

The bill repeals a provision authorizing the Department of Veterans Affairs to furnish tobacco to veterans receiving hospital or domiciliary care.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 16, 2018:** Reported by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H. Rept. 115-1033.
- **Nov 16, 2018:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 806.
- **May 17, 2017:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 17, 2017:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 6, 2017:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Voice Vote .
- **Mar 29, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Mar 29, 2017:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 21, 2017:** Introduced in House
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