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Keeping Our Commitment to Ending Veteran Homelessness Act of 2017

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** HI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Aug 3, 2017
Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV]	R · NV		Jan 30, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 3, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3419	Related bill	Sep 6, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
115 HR 4898	Related bill	Jan 30, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.

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This bill extends through FY2018 authority for the following Department of Veterans Affairs programs:

- homeless veterans reintegration programs,
- the homeless women veterans and homeless veterans with children reintegration program,
- referral and counseling services for certain veterans at risk of homelessness,
- treatment and rehabilitation services for seriously mentally ill and homeless veterans,
- housing assistance for homeless veterans,
- financial assistance for supportive services for very low-income veteran families in permanent housing, and
- the grant program for homeless veterans with special needs.

The bill extends through December 31, 2018, authority for the Advisory Committee on Homeless Veterans.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 3, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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