

## S 1759

Keeping Our Commitment to Ending Veteran Homelessness Act of 2017

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**Chamber:** Senate

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

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**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. (Aug 3, 2017)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]

**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

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

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

## **Keeping Our Commitment to Ending Veteran Homelessness Act of 2017**

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**

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