

SRES 203

A resolution designating the month of June 2017, as "National Post-Traumatic Stress Awareness Month" and June 27, 2017, as "National Post-Traumatic Stress Awareness Day".

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4695) (Aug 1, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Heitkamp, Heidi [D-ND]

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

Cosponsors (33 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Daines, Steve [R-MT]	R · MT		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Donnelly, Joe [D-IN]	D · IN		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Heller, Dean [R-NV]	R · NV		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Kennedy, John [R-LA]	R · LA		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]	R · AK		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Tillis, Thomas [R-NC]	R · NC		Jun 26, 2017
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Jun 26, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Aug 1, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 SRES 554	Related bill	Jun 20, 2018: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4285-4286; text: CR S4285-4286)
115 HRES 391	Related bill	Jul 17, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

Summary (as of Aug 1, 2017)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Designates June 2017 as National Post-Traumatic Stress Awareness Month and June 27, 2017, as National Post-Traumatic Stress Awareness Day.

Supports efforts of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) and the Department of Defense, as well as the medical community, to educate members of the Armed Forces, veterans, their families, and the public about the causes, symptoms, and treatment of post-traumatic stress.

Welcomes the efforts of the VA's National Center for PTSD (post-traumatic stress disorder) and local Vet Centers to assist veterans suffering from the effects of post-traumatic stress.

Encourages Armed Forces commanders to support appropriate treatment of Armed Forces personnel who suffer from post-traumatic stress.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 1, 2017:** Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **Aug 1, 2017:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S4695)
- **Aug 1, 2017:** Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4695)
- **Jun 26, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 26, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3767)