

## HR 4413

No Back Pay for Bergdahl Act

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 7, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 4437	Related bill	<b>Dec 7, 2017:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

Summary (as of Nov 15, 2017)

No Back Pay for Bergdahl Act

This bill amends the Uniform Code of Military Justice to deny payments or benefits to any person found guilty of desertion or attempted desertion for any period during which the person is treated as being in a missing or captive status after the date the person was first determined to be absent without authority.

The Department of Defense shall use payments or benefits denied to a deserter under this bill to provide compensation to members of the Armed Forces who were wounded or injured while searching for the deserter and to representatives of members killed while searching for the deserter.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 7, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Nov 15, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 15, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.