

HR 5521

VA Hiring Enhancement Act

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Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Latest Action: Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Jun 13, 2018)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Jun 13, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3302	Related bill	Jul 31, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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This bill negates enforcement of a noncompete agreement that an applicant for a physician's position in the Veterans Health Administration (VHA) has entered into with a non-Department of Veterans Affairs facility, entity, or individual. As a condition of terminating the noncompete agreement, the physician agrees to serve at the VHA for one year or until the expiration of the non-compete agreement.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 13, 2018:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Apr 16, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 16, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
- **Apr 16, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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