

HR 6769

GI Bill Transfer Extension Act

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** VA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 10, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6860	Related bill	Sep 20, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.

Summary (as of Sep 10, 2018)

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This bill provides that a veteran who meets the length of U.S. Armed Forces service necessary to transfer Post-9/11 GI Bill educational assistance benefits to a dependent spouse, child, or both may transfer unused benefits to such persons for up to 15 years after discharge or release from the Armed Forces. (Currently, a qualified individual may only transfer such benefits during military service.)

The bill makes these provisions retroactive to January 1, 2009.

The Department of Defense may not limit eligibility for such benefits based on a maximum number of active service years.

Actions Timeline

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