

## HR 303

### Retired Pay Restoration Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Jan 8, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs. (Feb 1, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/303>

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Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Mar 25, 2019
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Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Apr 18, 2019
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Apr 18, 2019
Rep. Dingell, Debbie [D-MI-12]	D · MI		May 1, 2019
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Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		May 1, 2019
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Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		May 9, 2019

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Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Nov 26, 2019
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Rep. Hagedorn, Jim [R-MN-1]	R · MN		Jan 8, 2020
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Jan 13, 2020
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		Jan 24, 2020
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Rep. Gonzalez, Anthony [R-OH-16]	R · OH		Jun 11, 2020
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2020
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Nov 20, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 24, 2019
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 1, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Retired Pay Restoration Act

This bill allows the receipt of both military retired pay and veterans' disability compensation with respect to any service-connected disability. Under current law, only individuals with service-connected disabilities rated at 50% or more receive both without offset.

Individuals who were retired or separated after at least 20 years of military service due to a service-connected disability shall be eligible for the full concurrent receipt of both veterans' disability compensation and either military retired pay or combat-related special pay.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 1, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **Jan 24, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Jan 8, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 8, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.