

HR 4138

State Veterans Home Inspection Simplification Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Jul 31, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (30 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Sep 17, 2019
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Rep. Duncan, Jeff [R-SC-3]	R · SC		Oct 22, 2019
Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Oct 31, 2019
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Rep. Heck, Denny [D-WA-10]	D · WA		Dec 4, 2019
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Rep. Bergman, Jack [R-MI-1]	R · MI		Dec 18, 2019
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Jan 9, 2020
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jan 15, 2020
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Jan 15, 2020
Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Jan 30, 2020
Rep. McAdams, Ben [D-UT-4]	D · UT		Jan 30, 2020
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		Feb 4, 2020
Rep. Curtis, John R. [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Feb 7, 2020
Rep. Newhouse, Dan [R-WA-4]	R · WA		Feb 7, 2020
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2020
Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Feb 12, 2020
Rep. Simpson, Michael K. [R-ID-2]	R · ID		Feb 21, 2020
Rep. DelBene, Suzan K. [D-WA-1]	D · WA		Feb 25, 2020
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Feb 26, 2020
Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Feb 27, 2020
Rep. Loebsack, David [D-IA-2]	D · IA		Mar 3, 2020
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Mar 4, 2020
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Mar 10, 2020
Rep. Golden, Jared F. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Mar 10, 2020
Rep. Lamborn, Doug [R-CO-5]	R · CO		Mar 10, 2020
Rep. Tipton, Scott R. [R-CO-3]	R · CO		Mar 10, 2020
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Mar 11, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 31, 2019
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 30, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3350	Identical bill	Feb 27, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jul 30, 2019)

State Veterans Home Inspection Simplification Act

This bill alters certain requirements relating to inspection and certification of Medicare skilled nursing facilities that are also state veterans homes.

Specifically, the bill requires the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) to treat state veterans homes that are inspected and determined to meet applicable standards set by the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) as also meeting applicable standards for skilled nursing facilities under Medicare. The CMS must also use VA inspection reports for such facilities in lieu of state inspection reports for purposes of the Nursing Home Compare website.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 31, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.
- **Jul 30, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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