

HR 464

To amend title 38, United States Code, to improve dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of certain totally disabled veterans.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Jan 10, 2019

Current Status: ASSUMING FIRST SPONSORSHIP - Mr. Balderson asked unanimous consent that he may hereafter be consider

Latest Action: ASSUMING FIRST SPONSORSHIP - Mr. Balderson asked unanimous consent that he may hereafter be considered as the first sponsor of H.R. 464, a bill originally introduced by Representative Jones, for the purpose of adding cosponsors and requesting reprintings pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII. Agreed to without objection. (Sep 24, 2019)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/464>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Balderson, Troy [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Gibbs, Bob [R-OH-7]	R · OH		Oct 16, 2019
Rep. Bustos, Cheri [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Oct 21, 2019
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Nov 8, 2019
Rep. Garamendi, John [D-CA-3]	D · CA		May 27, 2020
Rep. Posey, Bill [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Jun 18, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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.

This bill requires the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to treat a notification of the death of a veteran rated totally disabled at the time of death as a claim by the veteran's surviving spouse and children for dependency and indemnity compensation benefits. The VA may not require that such spouse and children file a claim for such benefits.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 24, 2019:** ASSUMING FIRST SPONSORSHIP - Mr. Balderson asked unanimous consent that he may hereafter be considered as the first sponsor of H.R. 464, a bill originally introduced by Representative Jones, for the purpose of adding cosponsors and requesting reprintings pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII. Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 1, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **Jan 10, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 10, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.