

HR 485

VREASA

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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

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 2392	Related bill	Jul 31, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Summary (as of Jan 10, 2019)

Veterans Reimbursement for Emergency Ambulance Services Act or VREASA

This bill directs the Department of Veterans Affairs to treat ambulance services as reimbursable emergency services in certain circumstances. Specifically, services are reimbursable when (1) the ambulance request was made because of the sudden onset of a medical condition that would reasonably be expected to be hazardous to the individual in the absence of immediate medical attention, and (2) the individual is transported to the closest and most appropriate medical facility capable of treating such emergency medical condition.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 20, 2019:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **Feb 1, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jan 10, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 10, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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