

## HR 5477

To prohibit the Secretary of Veterans Affairs from denying home loans for veterans who legally work in the marijuana industry on the basis of the nature of such work, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Dec 18, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security. (Jan 28, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/5477>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Resident Commissioner González-Colón, Jenniffer [R-PR-At Large]	R · PR		Dec 18, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 19, 2019
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 28, 2020
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 14, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 3087	Identical bill	<b>Dec 18, 2019:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

### Summary (as of Dec 18, 2019)

This bill prohibits the Department of Veterans Affairs from denying a veteran a home loan because the veteran works in the marijuana industry in a state where the industry is legal.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jan 28, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security.
- **Jan 14, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **Dec 19, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Dec 18, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 18, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and the Judiciary, 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.