

HR 6082

Forgotten Vietnam Veterans Act

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Sponsor

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Rep. Mast, Brian J. [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Mar 4, 2020
Rep. Phillips, Dean [D-MN-3]	D · MN		Mar 4, 2020
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Rep. Roy, Chip [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Mar 4, 2020
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Rep. Crenshaw, Dan [R-TX-2]	R · TX		May 19, 2020
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		May 22, 2020
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		May 22, 2020
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		May 22, 2020
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		May 22, 2020
Del. San Nicolas, Michael F. Q. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jun 1, 2020
Rep. Allred, Colin Z. [D-TX-32]	D · TX		Jun 15, 2020
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Jun 15, 2020
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jun 15, 2020
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jun 15, 2020
Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Jun 26, 2020
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jun 29, 2020
Rep. Brindisi, Anthony [D-NY-22]	D · NY		Jun 29, 2020
Del. Radewagen, Aumua Amata Coleman [R-AS-At Large]	R · AS		Jul 1, 2020
Rep. Biggs, Andy [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Craig, Angie [D-MN-2]	D · MN		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Jul 27, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (full committee)	Jul 23, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4086	Related bill	Jun 25, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Summary (as of Mar 4, 2020)

Forgotten Vietnam Veterans Act

This bill revises the definition of *Vietnam era* for purposes of the laws administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs. Specifically, the bill adjusts the start date of the era to November 1, 1955 (currently February 28, 1961), when relating to veterans who served in the Republic of Vietnam.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 23, 2020:** Committee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 4, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 4, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.