

HR 6204

Camp Lejeune Justice Act of 2020

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-8]

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

Cosponsors (27 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cunningham, Joe [D-SC-1]	D · SC		Mar 11, 2020
Rep. Holding, George [R-NC-2]	R · NC		Mar 11, 2020
Rep. McHenry, Patrick T. [R-NC-10]	R · NC		Mar 11, 2020
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Mar 11, 2020
Rep. Murphy, Gregory [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Mar 11, 2020
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Apr 23, 2020
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Apr 23, 2020
Rep. Adams, Alma S. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		May 1, 2020
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		May 1, 2020
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		May 1, 2020
Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		May 1, 2020
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		May 8, 2020
Rep. Hudson, Richard [R-NC-8]	R · NC		May 8, 2020
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		May 19, 2020
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		May 19, 2020
Rep. Soto, Darren [D-FL-9]	D · FL		May 19, 2020
Rep. Deutch, Theodore E. [D-FL-22]	D · FL		May 27, 2020
Rep. Neguse, Joe [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Jun 4, 2020
Rep. Barr, Andy [R-KY-6]	R · KY		Jun 18, 2020
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Jun 18, 2020
Rep. Walker, Mark [R-NC-6]	R · NC		Jun 18, 2020
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Wasserman Schultz, Debbie [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Wild, Susan [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Jul 16, 2020
Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Sep 11, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 11, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 S 4716	Related bill	Sep 24, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Camp Lejeune Justice Act of 2020

This bill allows certain individuals to sue and recover damages for harm from exposure to contaminated water at Camp Lejeune in North Carolina between August 1, 1953, and December 31, 1987.

This action is available only to individuals who were exposed to contaminated water for at least 30 days.

The bill prohibits the U.S. government from asserting immunity from litigation in response to such a lawsuit.

The bill also prohibits an individual who brings such an action from bringing a separate tort action against the United States based on the same harm. However, an individual who had previously sued based on such harms, regardless of the reason for the termination of the earlier lawsuit, may sue under this bill.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 11, 2020:** Introduced in House
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