

## HR 6262

### Disabled Veterans Education Relief Act

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**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Mar 12, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity. (Jul 13, 2020)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Mar 12, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 13, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 6322	Related bill	Apr 28, 2020: Became Public Law No: 116-140.
116 S 3575	Related bill	Mar 24, 2020: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.
116 HR 6379	Related bill	Mar 23, 2020: Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, and Ways and Means, 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.

## **Disabled Veterans Education Relief Act**

This bill addresses Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) assistance entitlements and subsistence allowances.

Under the bill, an assistance payment for training and rehabilitation programs for veterans with service-connected disabilities shall not be charged against an individual's entitlement to such assistance if an individual was unable to complete a course or program due to the closure of an educational institution or disapproval of the course.

The bill also authorizes the VA to continue to pay subsistence allowances for a specified amount of time during periods following the permanent closure of an institution or the disapproval of a course of study.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 13, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **Mar 12, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 12, 2020:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E307)
- **Mar 12, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.