

S 857

A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the amount of special pension for Medal of Honor recipients, and for other purposes.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Mar 25, 2019

Current Status: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-179.

Latest Action: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-179. (May 22, 2019)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/857>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Cotton, Tom [R-AR]

Party: Republican • **State:** AR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R · SC		Mar 25, 2019
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		May 20, 2019
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 10, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	May 22, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 25, 2019)

This bill increases the special monthly pension for living Medal of Honor recipients.

Actions Timeline

- **May 22, 2019:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-179.
- **Mar 25, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 25, 2019:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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