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Protecting Military Firefighters from PFAS Act

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services. (Mar 25, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

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Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	R · AK		Mar 25, 2019
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		May 6, 2019
Sen. Rounds, Mike [R-SD]	R · SD		May 6, 2019
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		May 13, 2019
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		May 13, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 25, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2500	Related bill	Aug 11, 2020: Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 512.
116 S 1790	Related bill	Dec 20, 2019: Became Public Law No: 116-92.
116 HR 1863	Related bill	Mar 26, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

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This bill requires the Department of Defense (DOD) to provide blood testing, during annual physical examinations of DOD firefighters, to determine and document exposure to perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances.

Actions Timeline

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