

HR 2250

Department of Veterans Affairs Information Technology Reform Act of 2022

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Received in the Senate.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate. (Nov 17, 2022)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Rosendale Sr., Matthew M. [R-MT-At Large]

Party: Republican • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Banks, Jim [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Mar 26, 2021
Rep. Mrvan, Frank J. [D-IN-1]	D · IN		Mar 26, 2021
Rep. Hern, Kevin [R-OK-1]	R · OK		May 25, 2021
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Nov 15, 2021
Rep. Malliotakis, Nicole [R-NY-11]	R · NY		Feb 7, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Discharged from	Nov 4, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 731	Related bill	Dec 15, 2021: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.

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This bill addresses the management and implementation of information technology projects and investments of the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).

Specifically, the bill prohibits the VA from obligating or expending funds for any major information technology project that begins after the date of enactment of this bill unless a report is submitted that includes information on the cost, schedule, and performance of the project, as generated by the business owner of the project prior to the commencement of the project. The information in the report must be used as a baseline against which changes or variances are measured and reported on during the life cycle of the project. Projects must be managed by an interdisciplinary team that includes a certified project manager, a functional lead, a technical lead, a contracting officer, and other appropriate personnel.

The VA's Chief Information Officer must (1) exercise authority over the management, governance, and oversight processes relating to existing or proposed information technology of the VA's Financial Services Center; and (2) supervise the information technology employees and contractors of the center.

The VA must ensure its annual budget justification materials include

- a list of its active information technology projects and specified information about such projects,
- projected funding needs for projects, and
- a prioritized list of every proposed project that is unfunded.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 17, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8575-8576)
- **Nov 17, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 414 - 2, 1 Present (Roll no. 484).
- **Nov 17, 2022:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 414 - 2, 1 Present (Roll no. 484). (text: 11/14/2022 CR H8467-8468)
- **Nov 17, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 17, 2022:** Received in the Senate.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** Mr. Takano moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8467-8469)
- **Nov 14, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 2250.
- **Nov 14, 2022:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Sep 26, 2022:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H. Rept. 117-492.
- **Sep 26, 2022:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 374.
- **Nov 4, 2021:** Subcommittee on Technology Modernization Discharged.
- **Nov 4, 2021:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Nov 4, 2021:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 22, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology Modernization.
- **Mar 26, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 26, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.