

## HR 3596

Lawrence J. Hackett, Jr., Vietnam Veterans Agent Orange Fairness Act

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**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** May 28, 2021

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs. (Sep 7, 2021)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Katko, John [R-NY-24]

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

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Lamb, Conor [D-PA-17]	D · PA		May 28, 2021
Rep. Axne, Cynthia [D-IA-3]	D · IA		Jul 16, 2021
Rep. Delgado, Antonio [D-NY-19]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2021
Rep. Slotkin, Elissa [D-MI-8]	D · MI		Jan 12, 2022
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Mar 29, 2022

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 7, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of May 28, 2021)

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This bill requires the Department of Veterans Affairs to establish a task force to make recommendations about the care and compensation that should be provided to veterans who have been exposed to Agent Orange, their spouses, and multiple generations of their offspring.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 7, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **May 28, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **May 28, 2021:** Referred to the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs.