

HR 4365

Chaplains Memorial Preservation Act

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 6, 2021
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill authorizes the National Conference on Ministry to the Armed Forces (NCMAF) to update and make corrections to certain memorials in Arlington National Cemetery in Virginia.

Specifically, NCMAF may

- update the memorial to Protestant chaplains with a granite, marble or other stone base to host the bronze plaque of the memorial;
- add another plaque to such base that includes the name of each chaplain who died while on active duty since the original memorial was placed;
- make updates and corrections to the memorials to Catholic chaplains and Jewish chaplains as needed; and
- make other updates as needed.

Additionally, NCMAF is authorized to verify the names of chaplains with their respective military branch for memorialization in Arlington National Cemetery.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 7, 2021:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs.
- **Jul 6, 2021:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 6, 2021:** Referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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.