

## S 3278

### I-VETS Act

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Immigration

**Introduced:** Nov 9, 2023

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Nov 9, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/senate-bill/3278>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]

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

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Nov 28, 2023
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Nov 28, 2023
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Nov 28, 2023
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Nov 29, 2023
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 7, 2024

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 9, 2023

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Immigration

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Nov 9, 2023)

#### Immigrant Veterans Eligibility Tracking System Act or the I-VETS Act

This bill requires the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to identify non-U.S. nationals (*aliens* under federal law) who are serving or have served as a member of the Armed Forces when the individual applies for an immigration benefit or is placed in an immigration enforcement proceeding. Such membership shall be reflected in DHS records and may not be used to remove an alien from the United States.

## **Actions Timeline**

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