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VA Zero Suicide Demonstration Project Act of 2023

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Mar 16, 2023

Current Status: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 118-217.

Latest Action: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 118-217. (Jul 12, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]

Party: Democratic • State: NV • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Jul 12, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 1639	Identical bill	Jul 18, 2023: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held

Summary (as of Mar 16, 2023)

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This bill requires the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to establish the Zero Suicide Initiative pilot program for the purpose of improving safety and suicide care for veterans. The program must be implemented at five VA medical centers, including one that serves veterans in rural and remote areas.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 12, 2023: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 118-217.
- Mar 16, 2023: Introduced in Senate
- Mar 16, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.