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HR 865

United States Colored Troops Congressional Gold Medal Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Feb 7, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administr

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House

Administration, 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. (Feb 7, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]
Party: Democratic • State: DC • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Carter, Troy [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	$D \cdot AZ$		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	$D \cdot AL$		Feb 27, 2023
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D·VA		May 9, 2023
Rep. Cherfilus-McCormick, Sheila [D-FL-20]	$D \cdot FL$		Jul 11, 2023
Rep. Hayes, Jahana [D-CT-5]	$D \cdot CT$		Dec 14, 2023
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Dec 19, 2023
Rep. Amo, Gabe [D-RI-1]	D · RI		May 21, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2023
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 7, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 273	Identical bill	Feb 7, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

United States Colored Troops Congressional Gold Medal Act

This bill provides for the award of a Congressional Gold Medal posthumously to the African Americans who served with Union forces in recognition of their bravery and outstanding service during the Civil War.

Actions Timeline

- Feb 7, 2023: Introduced in House
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- Feb 7, 2023: Referred to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, 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.