

HR 1039

Clear Communication for Veterans Claims Act

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

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Feb 6, 2025
Rep. Budzinski, Nikki [D-IL-13]	D · IL		Feb 6, 2025
Rep. Murphy, Gregory F. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Feb 10, 2025
Rep. Webster, Daniel [R-FL-11]	R · FL		Feb 11, 2025
Rep. Collins, Mike [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Fitzgerald, Scott [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Haridopolos, Mike [R-FL-8]	R · FL		Feb 13, 2025
Rep. Pfluger, August [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Feb 18, 2025
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Apr 1, 2025

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Hearings By (subcommittee)	Mar 26, 2025
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 8, 2025

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Related Bills

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119 S 1311	Related bill	Apr 5, 2025: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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This bill requires the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to seek to enter into an agreement with a federally funded research and development center to assess notices that the VA sends to claimants applying for or submitting claims for VA benefits. The VA must report on the findings of the assessment and implement recommendations in the assessment.

The bill also extends certain loan fee rates through June 23, 2034, under the VA's home loan program.

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