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119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

To require the inclusion of an authorization of appropriations for the Department of Veterans Affairs in any authorization for use of military force or declaration of war.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. DELUZIO introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Full Cost of War Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REQUIREMENT FOR AUTHORIZATIONS FOR USE OF**
2 **MILITARY FORCE AND DECLARATIONS OF**
3 **WAR.**

4 Any authorization for the use of military force or dec-
5 laration of war enacted after the date of the enactment
6 of this Act shall include an authorization of appropriations
7 for the Department of Veterans Affairs for such sums as
8 may be necessary to provide veterans with medical care,
9 disability compensation, and any other earned benefit
10 needed as a result of any activity conducted pursuant to
11 such authorization or declaration, as jointly determined by
12 the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Veterans
13 Affairs.