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# H. R. 1172

To amend titles 10 and 14, United States Code, to provide for the use of gold in the metal content of the Medal of Honor.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 11, 2003

Mr. BACA (for himself, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. WYNN, Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA, Mr. TERRY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. RANGEL) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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## 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. GOLD CONTENT FOR MEDAL OF HONOR.**

4       (a) REQUIREMENT FOR GOLD CONTENT.—Sections  
5       3741, 6241, and 8741 of title 10, United States Code,  
6       and section 491 of title 14, United States Code, are each  
7       amended by inserting “the metal content of which is 90  
8       percent gold and 10 percent alloy and” after “appropriate  
9       design,”.

1       (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
2 subsection (a) shall apply with respect to any award of  
3 the Medal of Honor after the date of the enactment of  
4 this Act.

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