

109TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 3136

Making emergency supplemental appropriations for the Department of  
Veterans Affairs for fiscal year 2005 for veterans medical services.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 30, 2005

Mr. EDWARDS (for himself and Mr. OBEY) introduced the following bill; which  
was referred to the Committee on Appropriations

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## A BILL

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partment of Veterans Affairs for fiscal year 2005 for  
veterans medical services.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3       That the following sums are appropriated, out of any  
4       money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for fis-  
5       cal year 2005:

6               DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

7                       VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

8                               MEDICAL SERVICES

9           For an additional amount for “Medical Services”,  
10   \$1,500,000,000, to remain available until September 30,

1 2006: *Provided*, That the amount provided under this  
2 heading is designated as an emergency requirement pursu-  
3 ant to section 402 of H. Con. Res. 95 (109th Congress),  
4 the concurrent resolution on the budget for the fiscal year  
5 2006: *Provided further*, That amounts made available  
6 under this heading may be transferred to other accounts  
7 of the Department of Veterans Affairs to the extent nec-  
8 essary to reimburse those accounts for prior transfers to  
9 “Medical Services” after notice of the amount and purpose  
10 of the transfer is provided to the Committees on Appro-  
11 priations of the Senate and House of Representatives and  
12 a period of 30 days has elapsed: *Provided further*, That  
13 the transfer authority in this paragraph is in addition to  
14 any other transfer authority available to the Department  
15 of Veterans Affairs.

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