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H. R. 2379

To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide certain veterans an opportunity to increase the amount of Veterans' Group Life Insurance.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 13, 2009

Mr. BUYER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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 “Veterans’ Group Life
5 Insurance Improvement Act of 2009”.

6 **SEC. 2. INCREASED AMOUNT OF VETERANS’ GROUP LIFE**
7 **INSURANCE.**

8 Section 1977(a) of title 38, United States Code, is
9 amended—

1 (1) in paragraph (1), by inserting “Except as
2 provided in paragraph (3),” before “Veterans’ Group
3 Life Insurance shall be”; and

4 (2) by adding after paragraph (2) the following
5 new paragraph:

6 “(3) Not more than once in each five-year period be-
7 ginning on the date a person becomes insured under Vet-
8 erans’ Group Life Insurance, such person may elect in
9 writing to increase the amount for which the person is in-
10 sured if—

11 “(A) the person is under the age of 60;

12 “(B) the increased amount is not more than
13 \$25,000; and

14 “(C) the amount for which the person is in-
15 sured does not exceed the amount provided for
16 under section 1967(a)(3)(A)(i) of this title.”.

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