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H. R. 6037

To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for an exception to the prohibition against mailing tobacco products for products mailed to members of the Armed Forces serving in a combat zone.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 30, 2010

Mr. HUNTER (for himself, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, and Mr. ROONEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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. TOBACCO PRODUCTS MAILED TO MEMBERS OF**
4 **ARMED FORCES SERVING IN COMBAT ZONE.**

5 Section 1716E(b) of title 18, United States Code, is
6 amended by adding at the end the following new para-
7 graph:

1 “(7) MEMBERS OF ARMED FORCES SERVING IN
2 COMBAT ZONE.—

3 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) shall
4 not apply to tobacco products mailed to a mem-
5 ber of the Armed Forces who is serving in a
6 combat zone.

7 “(B) COMBAT ZONE DEFINED.—In this
8 paragraph, the term ‘combat zone’ means an
9 area designated by the President as a combat
10 zone for purposes of section 112 of the Internal
11 Revenue Code of 1986.”.

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