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H. R. 2517

To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for requirements relating to the reassignment of Department of Veterans Affairs senior executive employees.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 18, 2017

Mr. TAYLOR (for himself and Mr. TAKANO) 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. SEMIANNUAL REPORTS ON REASSIGNMENT OF**
4 **DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS SEN-**
5 **IOR EXECUTIVE EMPLOYEES.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter I of chapter 7 of title
7 38, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end
8 the following new section:

1 **“§ 719. Semiannual reports on reassignment of senior**
2 **executives**

3 “(a) APPROVAL OF REASSIGNMENTS.—No individual
4 employed in a senior executive position at the Department
5 may be reassigned to another such position at the Depart-
6 ment unless such reassignment is approved in writing and
7 signed by the Secretary.

8 “(b) SEMIANNUAL REPORTS REQUIRED.—Not later
9 than June 30 and December 31 of each year, the Sec-
10 retary shall submit to Congress a report on the reassign-
11 ment of individuals employed in senior executive positions
12 at the Department to other such positions at the Depart-
13 ment during the period covered by the report. Each such
14 report shall describe the purpose of each such reassign-
15 ment and the costs associated with such reassignment.

16 “(c) SENIOR EXECUTIVE POSITION DEFINED.—In
17 this section, the term ‘senior executive position’ has the
18 meaning given such term in section 713(g)(3) of this
19 title.”.

20 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
21 at the beginning of such chapter is amended by inserting
22 after the item relating to section 717 the following new
23 item:

“719. Semiannual reports on reassignment of senior executives.”.

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