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H. R. 6308

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 3, 2018

Mr. TONKO introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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 “Historical Record Ex-
5 emption Act of 2018”.

6 **SEC. 2. CORRECTION OF HISTORICAL MILITARY RECORDS.**

7 Section 1552(b) of title 10, United States Code, is
8 amended—

1 (1) by striking “No” and inserting “(1) Subject
2 to paragraph (2), no”; and

3 (2) by adding at the end the following new
4 paragraph:

5 “(2) A correction may be made under subsection
6 (a)(1) if the Secretary concerned or a person the Secretary
7 concerned determines has a vested interest in the military
8 record files a request for the correction more than 175
9 years after the date of the creation of the military
10 record.”.

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