

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 2247

To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a consistent eligibility date for provision of Department of Veterans Affairs memorial headstones and markers for eligible spouses and dependent children of veterans whose remains are unavailable, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 19, 2017

Mr. HELLER (for himself and Mr. TESTER) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. ELIGIBILITY OF VETERANS' SPOUSES AND DE-**
2 **PENDENT CHILDREN WHOSE REMAINS ARE**
3 **UNAVAILABLE FOR DEPARTMENT OF VET-**
4 **ERANS AFFAIRS MEMORIAL HEADSTONES**
5 **AND MARKERS.**

6 Section 2306(b)(2) of title 38, United States Code,
7 is amended—

8 (1) in subparagraph (B), by striking “The” and
9 inserting “An individual who dies on or after No-
10 vember 11, 1998, who is the”; and

11 (2) in subparagraph (C), by striking “An” and
12 inserting “An individual who dies on or after No-
13 vember 11, 1998, who is an”.

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