

116TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4609

To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include a full-time job with a veterans or military service organization as a public service job eligible for public service loan forgiveness.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 4, 2019

Mr. LEVIN of California (for himself and Ms. PORTER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

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 “Veteran Service Equity
5 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. FULL-TIME JOB WITH VETERANS OR MILITARY**
2 **SERVICE ORGANIZATION.**

3 Section 455(m)(3)(B) of the Higher Education Act
4 of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1087e(m)(3)(B)) is amended—

5 (1) in clause (i), by striking “or” at the end;

6 (2) in clause (ii), by striking the period and in-
7 serting “; or”; and

8 (3) by adding at the end the following:

9 “(iii) a full-time job with a veterans
10 or military service organization (as de-
11 scribed in paragraph (19) or (23) of sec-
12 tion 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code)
13 that does not engage in partisan political
14 campaign activity.”.

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