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# H. R. 3860

To prohibit any requirement that a member of the Armed Forces receive a vaccination against COVID-19.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 14, 2021

Mr. MASSIE (for himself, Mr. ROY, Mr. GOODEN of Texas, Mrs. GREENE of Georgia, Mrs. BOEBERT, Mr. PERRY, Mr. STEUBE, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. CLYDE, Mr. BURCHETT, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. GOSAR, and Mr. MOONEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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## A BILL

To prohibit any requirement that a member of the Armed Forces receive a vaccination against COVID-19.

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. PROHIBITIONS ON REQUIREMENT THAT A**  
4 **MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES RECEIVE A**  
5 **VACCINATION AGAINST COVID-19.**

6 (a) PROHIBITION ON FUNDING.—No Federal funds  
7 may be used to require a member of the Armed Forces  
8 to receive a vaccination against COVID-19.

1       (b) PROHIBITION ON ADVERSE ACTION.—The Sec-  
2 retary concerned may not take any adverse action against  
3 a member of the Armed Forces because such member re-  
4 fuses to receive a vaccination against COVID-19.

5       (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

6           (1) The term “adverse action” includes the fol-  
7 lowing:

8                   (A) Retaliation.

9                   (B) Punishment.

10                  (C) Disparate treatment.

11                  (D) A requirement to wear a mask.

12                  (E) A requirement to reside in sub-  
13 standard housing.

14           (2) The term “Secretary concerned” has the  
15 meaning given that term in section 101 of title 10,  
16 United States Code.

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