

117TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 5868

To repeal the Military Selective Service Act and reestablish the Office of Selective Service Records, and to prescribe the procedure for the reenactment of such Act or reestablishment of the Selective Service System.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 4, 2021

Mrs. HARTZLER (for herself, Mr. LAMBORN, and Mr. DESJARLAIS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 “Stop Military Selective
5 Service Registration Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF MILITARY SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT; RE-**
2 **ESTABLISHMENT OF OFFICE OF SELECTIVE**
3 **SERVICE RECORDS.**

4 (a) REPEAL.—The Military Selective Service Act (50
5 U.S.C. 3801 et seq.) is repealed.

6 (b) REESTABLISHMENT OF OFFICE OF SELECTIVE
7 SERVICE RECORDS.—Pursuant to the proviso in section
8 10(a)(4) of the Military Selective Service Act (50 U.S.C.
9 3809(a)(4)) in effect on the day before the date of the
10 enactment of this Act, the Office of Selective Service
11 Records is reestablished upon such effective date. Not
12 later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of
13 this Act, the assets, contracts, property, and records held
14 by the Selective Service System, and the unexpended bal-
15 ances of any appropriations available to the Selective Serv-
16 ice System, shall be transferred to the Office of Selective
17 Service Records.

18 (c) PROCEDURE FOR REENACTMENT OF MILITARY
19 SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT OR REESTABLISHMENT OF SE-
20 LECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM.—

21 (1) SUPERMAJORITY REQUIRED.—Neither the
22 Military Selective Service Act may be reenacted nor
23 the Selective Service System reestablished except by
24 a vote of two-thirds of each House of Congress.

25 (2) RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF
26 REPRESENTATIVES.—This subsection is enacted by

1 Congress as an exercise of the rulemaking power of
2 the Senate and House of Representatives, respec-
3 tively, and as such it is deemed a part of the rules
4 of each House, respectively, and it supersedes other
5 rules only to the extent that it is inconsistent with
6 such rules.

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