

114TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 6124

To amend section 428 of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act to provide incentives to grantees under the Continuum of Care program to re-house all former members of the Armed Forces, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 22, 2016

Mr. STIVERS (for himself and Mrs. BEATTY) introduced the following bill;  
which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

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## 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 “Housing our Military  
5 Servicemembers Act of 2016” or the “HOMeS Act of  
6 2016”.

1 **SEC. 2. INCENTIVE FOR PROVEN STRATEGIES.**

2 Subsection (d) of section 428 of the McKinney-Vento  
3 Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11386b(d)) is  
4 amended—

5 (1) in paragraph (2)—

6 (A) in subparagraph (A), by inserting  
7 “and former servicemembers” before the semi-  
8 colon at the end; and

9 (B) in subparagraph (B), by inserting  
10 “and former servicemembers” before the first  
11 comma; and

12 (2) by adding at the end the following new  
13 paragraph:

14 “(4) FORMER SERVICEMEMBER.—For purposes  
15 of this subsection, the term ‘former servicemember’  
16 means a person who served in the active or inactive  
17 military, naval, or air service, and who was dis-  
18 charged or released therefrom.”.

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