

113TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 747

To amend the Military Selective Service Act to require the registration of women with the Selective Service System in light of the Department of Defense elimination of the rule excluding women from direct ground combat assignments in the Armed Forces.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 15, 2013

Mr. RANGEL (for himself and Mr. MORAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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. NONDISCRIMINATION IN APPLICATION OF**
2 **MILITARY SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRA-**
3 **TION REQUIREMENT FOR CITIZENS AND CER-**
4 **TAIN RESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES.**

5 (a) **APPLICABILITY TO ALL CITIZENS AND RESI-**
6 **DENTS WITHIN SPECIFIED AGE RANGE.**—Section 3(a) of
7 the Military Selective Service Act (50 U.S.C. App. 453(a))
8 is amended—

9 (1) in the first sentence—

10 (A) by striking “male” both places it ap-
11 pears; and

12 (B) by inserting “or herself” after “him-
13 self”; and

14 (2) in the second sentence, by striking “he con-
15 tinues” and inserting “the alien continues”.

16 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendments made by
17 subsection (a) shall take effect 60 days after the date of
18 the enactment of this Act.

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