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To amend title 38, United States Code, to permit retired members of the Armed Forces who have service-connected disabilities to receive compensation from the Department of Veterans Affairs concurrently with retired pay, without deduction from either.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 1995

Mr. BILIRAKIS (for himself and Mr. TEJEDA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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 That section 5304(a)(1) of title 38, United States Code,
4 is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:
5 "Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, emergency offi6 cers', regular, or reserve retirement pay may be paid to
7 any veteran concurrently with compensation for any serv-

ice-connected disability, without deduction from either the
 retirement pay or the compensation; however, nothing in
 this sentence shall permit payment of retirement pay and
 of compensation based upon the same disability.".