

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1119

To amend title 36, United States Code, to revise the congressional charter of the Military Order of the Purple Heart of the United States of America, Incorporated, to authorize associate membership in the corporation for the spouse of a recipient of the Purple Heart medal.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 16, 2007

Mrs. DAVIS of California (for herself, Ms. FOXX, Mr. BLUNT, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. TANCREDO, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. BERMAN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. BUYER, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. HARE, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. HONDA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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 “Purple Heart Family
5 Equity Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IN THE MILITARY ORDER**
2 **OF THE PURPLE HEART OF THE UNITED**
3 **STATES OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED.**

4 Section 140503(b) of title 36, United States Code,
5 is amended by striking “parents and lineal descendants”
6 and inserting “the parents, spouse, and lineal descend-
7 ants”.

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