110TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 1925

To direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish a separate Veterans Integrated Service Network for the Gulf Coast region of the United States.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 18, 2007

Mr. MILLER of Florida 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 SECTION 1. ESTABLISHMENT OF GULF COAST VETERANS
- 4 INTEGRATED SERVICE NETWORK.
- 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Veterans Affairs
- 6 shall establish a separate Veterans Affairs Service Net-
- 7 work (in this Act referred to as a "VISN") for the Gulf
- 8 Coast region of the United States, to comprise the fol-
- 9 lowing counties:

1	(1) In the State of Florida, the counties of
2	Franklin, Liberty, Gulf, Calhoun, Jackson, Bay,
3	Washington, Holmes, Walton, Okaloosa, Santa
4	Rosa, and Escambia.
5	(2) In the State of Alabama, the counties of

- (2) In the State of Alabama, the counties of
 Houston, Henry, Dale, Geneva, Coffee, Covington,
 Conecuh, Escambia, Monroe, Baldwin, Clarke, Mobile, and Washington.
- 9 (3) In the State of Mississippi, the counties of 10 Jackson, George, Harrison, Stone, Hancock, and 11 Pearl River.
- 12 (b) DEADLINE FOR ESTABLISHMENT.—The Sec-13 retary shall establish the VISN specified in subsection (a) 14 not later than one year after the date of the enactment 15 of this Act.

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