

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 3681

To amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to advertise in the national media to promote awareness of benefits under laws administered by the Secretary.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 27, 2007

Mr. BOOZMAN (for himself and Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN) 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Veterans Benefits
5 Awareness Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORITY OF SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**
2 **TO ADVERTISE TO PROMOTE AWARENESS OF**
3 **BENEFITS UNDER LAWS ADMINISTERED BY**
4 **THE SECRETARY.**

5 (a) **AUTHORITY TO ADVERTISE.**—Subchapter II of
6 chapter 5 of title 38, United States Code, is amended by
7 adding at the end the following new section:

8 **“§ 532. Authority to advertise in national media**

9 “The Secretary may purchase advertising in national
10 media outlets for the purpose of promoting awareness of
11 benefits under laws administered by the Secretary.”.

12 (b) **CLERICAL AMENDMENT.**—The table of sections
13 at the beginning of such chapter is amended by inserting
14 after the item relating to section 531 the following:

“532. Authority to advertise in national media.”.

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