

114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1337

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 4, 2015

Mr. ROSS 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. AUTHORIZATION FOR AWARD OF THE DISTIN-**
2 **GUISHED-SERVICE CROSS FOR ACTS OF EX-**
3 **TRAORDINARY HEROISM DURING THE KO-**
4 **REAN WAR.**

5 Notwithstanding the time limitations specified in sec-
6 tion 3744 of title 10, United States Code, or any other
7 time limitation with respect to the awarding of certain
8 medals to persons who served in the Armed Forces, the
9 Secretary of the Army may award the Distinguished-Serv-
10 ice Cross under section 3742 of such title to Edward
11 Halcomb who, while serving in Korea as a member of the
12 United States Army in the grade of Private First Class
13 in Company B, 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry Regiment,
14 24th Infantry Division, distinguished himself by acts of
15 extraordinary heroism from August 20, 1950, to October
16 19, 1950, during the Korean War.

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