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H. R. 6112

To extend the delimiting period for certain individuals to use educational assistance benefits administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 1, 2021

Mr. LEVIN of California (for himself and Mr. BARR) 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 “More Opportunities
5 for Veterans Education Act” or the “MOVE Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF DELIMITING PERIOD FOR EDU-**
2 **CATIONAL ASSISTANCE BENEFITS FOR CER-**
3 **TAIN INDIVIDUALS WHO FIRST USED VET-**
4 **ERAN READINESS AND EMPLOYMENT BENE-**
5 **FITS.**

6 (a) EXTENSION.—Notwithstanding section 3031 or
7 3321 of title 38, United States Code, or any other applica-
8 ble provision of law establishing a delimiting period, the
9 delimiting period for the restored entitlement of a covered
10 individual shall be the period, beginning on the date of
11 the enactment of this Act, that equals the sum of—

12 (1) the number of months of restored entitle-
13 ment; and

14 (2) 12 months.

15 (b) APPLICATION.—Subsection (a) shall apply with
16 respect to a covered individual whose delimiting period for
17 the restored entitlement of the individual was, as of the
18 day before the date of the enactment of this Act, to expire
19 on or after April 1, 2021.

20 (c) NOTIFICATION.—Not later than 30 days after the
21 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Vet-
22 erans Affairs shall notify covered individuals of the exten-
23 sion of delimiting periods made under subsection (a).

24 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

25 (1) The term “covered individual” means an in-
26 dividual—

1 (A) who received restored entitlement; and

2 (B) for whom the delimiting period to use
3 such restored entitlement, as of the date on
4 which the entitlement was restored, was fewer
5 months than the sum of—

6 (i) the amount of months of the re-
7 stored entitlement; and

8 (ii) 12 months.

9 (2) The term “restored entitlement” means the
10 entitlement of an individual to educational assistance
11 under a provision of law referred to in subsection (a)
12 of section 3695 of title 38, United States Code, that
13 was increased by reason of the Secretary of Veterans
14 Affairs determining on or about April 1, 2021, that
15 an individual may use assistance under chapter 31
16 of such title before using educational assistance
17 under such a provision of law without being subject
18 to the 48-month limitation under such section 3695.

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