<u>WITNESS LIST</u> 118th Congress U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Veterans' Affairs Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity

"Legislative Hearing on: H.R. 6656, Stuck on Hold Act; H.R. 7323, To amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to disapprove courses of education offered by a public institution of higher learning that does not charge the in-State tuition rate to a veteran using certain educational assistance under title 10 of such Code; H.R. XXXX, To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a limitation on the amount of entitlement to educational assistance payable for flight training under the Post-9/11 Educational Assistance Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs; H.R. XXXX, To amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the restoration of entitlement of individuals entitled to educational assistance under the laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs who use such entitlement to pursue a course or program of education at an educational institution found to have violated certain prohibitions on advertising, sales, and enrollment practices, and for other purposes; H.R. XXXX, To amend titles 10 and 38, United States Code, to make improvements to certain programs for a member nearing separation, or for a veteran who recently separated, from the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; H.R. 6225, Expanding Home Loans for Guard and Reservists Act; H.R. XXXX, To amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the use of Department of Veterans Affairs work-study allowance to carry out casework, policy making, and oversight related to the activities of the Department at certain congressional offices; H.R. XXXX, To amend title 38, United States Code, to update certain terminology regarding veteran employment; and H.R. XXXX, Fair Access to Co-ops for Veterans Act of 2024."

Wednesday, March 20, 2024, at 10:30 am 360 Cannon House Office Building

Panel 1

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