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ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH CONGRESS

VOTE "YES ON H.R. 4546, DOD AUTHORIZATION BILL Support Needed Quality of Life Improvements for Military Personnel

Dear Colleague:

H.R. 4546, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003, sustains and improves the strong commitment of the Committee on Armed Services to quality of life measures for our soldiers and their families. This bill would:

- Provide commissary benefits to reserve troops and their families called to duty for the War on Terrorism.
- Protect the valuable commissary benefit.
- Insure that MWR programs are provided to military families living in privatized housing.

The Committee on Armed Services is committed to maintaining an acceptable quality of life for our men and women in uniform deployed around the world performing selfless service to our nation. Join me in supporting our troops, and vote "YES" on H.R. 4546.

Sincerely,



Roscoe G. Bartlett
Chairman
Special Oversight Panel on
Morale, Welfare and Recreation



Robert A. Underwood
Ranking Democrat
Special Oversight Panel on
Morale, Welfare and Recreation