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2^D SESSION

H. R. 6387

To amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for support of funeral ceremonies for veterans provided by details that consist solely of members of veterans organizations and other organizations, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 6, 2006

Mr. GOHMERT (for himself, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. CARTER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, and 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. SUPPORT OF FUNERAL CEREMONIES FOR VET-**
2 **ERANS PROVIDED BY DETAILS CONSISTING**
3 **SOLELY OF MEMBERS OF VETERANS ORGANI-**
4 **ZATIONS AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS.**

5 (a) SUPPORT OF FUNERAL CEREMONIES.—Section
6 1491 of title 10, United States Code, is amended—

7 (1) by redesignating subsections (e), (f), (g),
8 and (h) as subsections (f), (g), (h), and (i), respec-
9 tively; and

10 (2) by inserting after subsection (d) the fol-
11 lowing new subsection (e):

12 “(e) FUNERAL CEREMONIES FOR VETERANS PRO-
13 VIDED BY DETAILS OTHER THAN FUNERAL HONOR DE-
14 TAILS.—In the case of funeral honors at the funeral of
15 a veteran that are provided by a detail that consists solely
16 of members of veterans organizations or other organiza-
17 tions referred to in subsection (b)(2), the Secretary of the
18 military department of which the veteran was a member
19 shall support the provision of such funeral honors through
20 provision to each person who participates in the detail the
21 daily stipend prescribed under subsection (d)(2).”.

22 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Such section is
23 further amended—

24 (1) in subsection (d)(2), by inserting “and sub-
25 section (e)” after “paragraph (1)(A)”; and

1 (2) in paragraph (1) of section (f), as redesign-
2 nated by subsection (a)(1) of this section, by insert-
3 ing “(other than a requirement in subsection (e))”
4 after “pursuant to this section”.

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