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To amend title 37, United States Code, to increase the basic allowance for housing inside the United States for members of the uniformed services.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. STRICKLAND (for herself, Mr. BACON, Mr. BEYER, Mr. CARBAJAL, Mr. CONNOLLY, Ms. DELBENE, Mr. DELUZIO, Ms. ESCOBAR, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. GOLDEN of Maine, Ms. GOODLANDER, Ms. NORTON, Ms. JACOBS, Mr. LIEU, Mr. MOULTON, Mrs. TORRES of California, Mr. PANNETTA, Mr. PETERS, Ms. PETERSEN, Mr. QUIGLEY, Ms. SALINAS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. SHERRILL, Mr. SWALWELL, Ms. TOKUDA, and Mr. WITTMAN) 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “BAH Restoration
5 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. INCREASE IN BASIC ALLOWANCE FOR HOUSING IN-**
2 **SIDE THE UNITED STATES FOR MEMBERS OF**
3 **THE UNIFORMED SERVICES.**

4 Paragraph (3) of section 403(b) of title 37, United
5 States Code, is amended to read as follows:

6 “(3) The monthly amount of the basic allowance for
7 housing for an area of the United States for a member
8 of a uniformed service shall be the amount of the monthly
9 cost of adequate housing in that area, as determined by
10 the Secretary of Defense, for members of the uniformed
11 services serving in the same pay grade and with the same
12 dependency status as the member.”.

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