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S. 3030

Making continuing appropriations for military pay in the event of a Government shutdown, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 22 (legislative day, OCTOBER 21), 2025

Mr. SULLIVAN (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mrs. BRITT, Mr. BUDD, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. DAINES, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. HUSTED, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mr. LEE, Mr. MCCORMICK, Mrs. MOODY, Mr. MORAN, Mr. MULLIN, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. RICKETTS, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. YOUNG, and Mr. LANKFORD) introduced the following bill; which was read the first time

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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 “Pay Our Military Act
5 of 2025”.

1 **SEC. 2. CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS FOR MEMBERS OF**
2 **THE ARMED FORCES.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—There are hereby appropriated for
4 fiscal year 2026, out of any money in the Treasury not
5 otherwise appropriated, for any period during which in-
6 terim continuing appropriations or full-year appropria-
7 tions for fiscal year 2026 are not in effect—

8 (1) such sums as are necessary to provide pay,
9 allowances, individual clothing, subsistence, interest
10 on deposits, gratuities, and permanent change of
11 station travel (including all expenses thereof for or-
12 ganizational movements) to members of the Armed
13 Forces (as defined in section 101(a)(4) of title 10,
14 United States Code), including reserve components
15 thereof, who perform active service during such pe-
16 riod, and for payments pursuant to section 156 of
17 Public Law 97–377 (42 U.S.C. 402 note);

18 (2) such sums as are necessary to provide pay
19 and allowances to the civilian personnel of the De-
20 partment of Defense (and the Department of Home-
21 land Security in the case of the Coast Guard) whom
22 the Secretary concerned determines are providing
23 support to members of the Armed Forces described
24 in paragraph (1); and

25 (3) such sums as are necessary to provide pay-
26 ment to contractors of the Department of Defense

1 (and the Department of Homeland Security in the
2 case of the Coast Guard) whom the Secretary con-
3 cerned determines are providing support to members
4 of the Armed Forces described in paragraph (1).

5 (b) INTERIM CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS.—Ap-
6 propriations made available under subsection (a) may not
7 be obligated or expended by the head of an agency during
8 any period during which continuing appropriations for the
9 purposes for which amounts are made available under sub-
10 section (a) are in effect for the agency.

11 (c) CHARGE TO FUTURE APPROPRIATIONS.—Ex-
12 penditures made pursuant to subsection (a) shall be
13 charged to the applicable appropriation, fund, or author-
14 ization whenever an Act in which such applicable appro-
15 priation, fund, or authorization is included is enacted into
16 law.

17 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

18 (1) ACTIVE SERVICE.—The term “active serv-
19 ice” has the meaning given such term in section
20 101(d) of title 10, United States Code.

21 (2) RESERVE COMPONENT.—The term “reserve
22 component” means a component named in section
23 10101 of title 10, United States Code.

24 (3) SECRETARY CONCERNED.—The term “Sec-
25 retary concerned” means—

1 (A) the Secretary of Defense with respect
2 to matters concerning the Department of De-
3 fense; and

4 (B) the Secretary of Homeland Security
5 with respect to matters concerning the Coast
6 Guard.

7 **SEC. 3. TERMINATION.**

8 Appropriations and funds made available and author-
9 ity granted pursuant to this Act to an agency shall be
10 available until whichever of the following first occurs:

11 (1) The enactment into law of appropriations
12 for the agency through September 30, 2026 (includ-
13 ing a continuing appropriation) that provides
14 amounts for the purposes for which amounts are
15 made available under section 2.

16 (2) The enactment into law of appropriations
17 for the agency through September 30, 2026 (includ-
18 ing a continuing appropriation) without any appro-
19 priation for such purposes.

20 (3) September 30, 2026.

21 **SEC. 4. RETROACTIVE EFFECTIVE DATE.**

22 This Act shall take effect as if enacted on September
23 30, 2025.

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