

Estimate of Direct Spending for H.R. 5985, the Department of Veterans Affairs Expiring Authorities Act of 2016 as Transmitted to CBO on September 12, 2016 (version f:\VHLC\091216\091216.293.xml; September 12, 2016 (5:06 p.m.))

	By Fiscal Year, in Millions of Dollars										2017-	2017-
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2021	2026
INCREASES OR DECREASES (-) IN DIRECT SPENDING												
Section 413. Payments for Reports												
Estimated Budget Authority	-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-3	-3
Estimated Outlays	-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-3	-3
Section 408. Specially Adapted Housing Assistance												
Estimated Budget Authority	*	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2	2
Estimated Outlays	*	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2	2
Section 409. Adapted Housing Technology Grants												
Estimated Budget Authority	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Estimated Outlays	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Section 204. Rehabilitation and Vocational Benefits												
Estimated Budget Authority	1	1	*	-2	*	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
Estimated Outlays	1	1	*	-2	*	0	0	0	0	0	*	*
Total Changes in Direct Spending												
Estimated Budget Authority	-1	3	*	-2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Estimated Outlays	-1	3	*	-2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Notes: * = between -\$500,000 and \$500,000; details do not add to totals because of rounding.

Section 413 would temporarily reduce the fee that the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) pays educational institutions to report certain information on enrollees who are using VA education benefits at those institutions.

Section 408 would extend for one year VA's authority to help up to 30 disabled veterans acquire housing with special features designed to accommodate a lack of or difficulty with mobility.

Section 409 would extend for one year VA's authority to make grants to encourage the development of new technologies to adapt housing to the needs of disabled veterans. VA can make up to \$1 million in grants for each year the program is authorized.

Section 204 would temporarily extend the authority for VA to provide vocational and rehabilitation benefits to certain military personnel with severe injuries or illnesses while those personnel are on active duty, rather than delay the delivery of those benefits until they are discharged from the military.