

109<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# S. 1751

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 22, 2005

Ms. MIKULSKI introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. EXPANSION OF STATE SENTENCES FOR WHICH**  
2 **BURIAL IN NATIONAL CEMETERIES AND AR-**  
3 **LINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY ARE PROHIB-**  
4 **ITED.**

5 (a) STATE SENTENCES TO INCLUDE ANY SENTENCE  
6 OF LIFE IMPRISONMENT FOR STATE CAPITAL CRIME.—  
7 Subsection (b)(2) of section 2411 of title 38, United  
8 States Code, is amended by striking “without parole”.

9 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Subsection (d)(2)  
10 of such section is amended by striking “without parole”.

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