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# H. R. 3629

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 20, 2007

Mr. SPACE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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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 “Providing Tax Fair-  
5 ness for Service Members and Veterans Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. 4-YEAR EXTENSION OF ELECTION TO INCLUDE COM-**  
2 **BAT PAY AS EARNED INCOME FOR PURPOSES**  
3 **OF EARNED INCOME CREDIT.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subclause (II) of section  
5 32(c)(2)(B)(vi) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is  
6 amended by striking “January 1, 2008” and inserting  
7 “January 1, 2012”.

8 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
9 this section shall apply to taxable years ending after De-  
10 cember 31, 2007.

11 **SEC. 3. 4-YEAR EXTENSION OF USE OF QUALIFIED MORT-**  
12 **GAGE BONDS TO FINANCE RESIDENCES FOR**  
13 **VETERANS WITHOUT REGARD TO FIRST-TIME**  
14 **HOMEBUYER REQUIREMENT.**

15 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subparagraph (D) of section  
16 143(d)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amend-  
17 ed by striking “January 1, 2008” and inserting “January  
18 1, 2012”.

19 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
20 this section shall apply to bonds issued after December  
21 31, 2007.

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