

118TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 9516

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 18 (legislative day, DECEMBER 16), 2024

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural  
Resources

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## AN ACT

To amend the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act  
to provide for lifetime National Parks and Federal Rec-  
reational Lands Passes for family members of members  
of the Armed Forces who lost their lives while serving  
their country.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

2       This Act may be cited as the “Military Families Na-  
3 tional Parks Access Enhancement Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. LIFETIME PASSES.**

5       Section 805(b)(2) of the Federal Lands Recreation  
6 Enhancement Act (16 U.S.C. 6804(b)(2)) is amended by  
7 adding at the end the following:

8               “(D) Any individual who is a survivor enti-  
9 tled to—

10               “(i) a death gratuity under section  
11 1475 of title 10, United States Code; or

12               “(ii) dependency and indemnity com-  
13 pensation under chapter 13 of title 38,  
14 United States Code.”.

Passed the House of Representatives December 17,  
2024.

Attest:                   KEVIN F. MCCUMBER,  
*Clerk.*