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### Legislative update: House passes tax relief for combat-injured veterans

The U.S. House of Representatives on December 5, 2016, passed by unanimous vote, H.R. 5015, the Combat-Injured Veterans Tax Fairness Act of 2016.

**H.R. 5015** is intended to prevent military veterans who suffer service-ending combat-related injuries from being “wrongfully taxed” on severance payments received from the Defense Department.

Read a [statement](#) from Ways and Means Chairman Kevin Brady (R-TX) on House approval of the bill.

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