

115TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 293

To extend the authorization of appropriations to the Department of Veterans Affairs for purposes of awarding grants to veterans service organizations for the transportation of highly rural veterans.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 2017

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska introduced the following bill; which was 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Highly Rural Veteran  
5 Transportation Program Extension Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY TO MAKE GRANTS TO**  
2 **VETERANS SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS FOR**  
3 **TRANSPORTATION OF HIGHLY RURAL VET-**  
4 **ERANS.**

5 Section 307(d) of the Caregivers and Veterans Omni-  
6 bus Health Services Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–163;  
7 124 Stat. 1154; 38 U.S.C. 1710 note), as most recently  
8 amended by section 106 of the Department of Veterans  
9 Affairs Expiring Authorities Act of 2016 (Public Law  
10 114–228; 130 Stat. 937), is amended by striking “2017”  
11 and inserting “2018”.

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