

115TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H.R.3834

AN ACT

- To provide that members of public safety agencies who died of 9/11-related health conditions are eligible for the Presidential 9/11 Heroes Medal of Valor, and for other purposes.
 - 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.

- This Act may be cited as the "9/11 Heroes Medal
- 3 of Valor Act of 2017".
- 4 SEC. 2. MEMBERS OF PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCIES WHO SUB-
- 5 SEQUENTLY DIED OF 9/11-RELATED HEALTH
- 6 CONDITIONS ELIGIBLE FOR PRESIDENTIAL 9/
- 7 11 HEROES MEDAL OF VALOR.
- 8 An individual who was a public safety officer (as de-
- 9 fined in section 5 of the Public Safety Officer Medal of
- 10 Valor Act of 2001) who—
- 11 (1) participated in the response at any point
- during the period beginning on September 11, 2001,
- and ending on July 31, 2002, to the terrorist at-
- tacks on the World Trade Center, the terrorist at-
- tack on the Pentagon, or the terrorist attack that
- resulted in the crash of the fourth airplane in Penn-
- 17 sylvania; and
- 18 (2) died as a result of such participation there-
- after as a result of a WTC-related health condition
- 20 (which term shall have the meaning given such term
- in section 3312 of the Public Health Service Act (42
- U.S.C. 300mm-22) with respect to a WTC re-
- sponder),
- 24 shall be eligible for the 9/11 Heroes Medal of Valor re-
- 25 ferred to in subsection (a) of section 124 of the Consoli-
- 26 dated Appropriations Act, 2005, in the same manner and

- 1 to the same extent as any individual who is otherwise eligi-
- 2 ble under such section, except that no requirement under
- 3 such section pertaining to the death of that individual
- 4 shall apply.

Passed the House of Representatives September 26, 2018.

Attest:

Clerk.

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