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NAPO LEGISLATIVE POSITIONS: 116TH CONGRESS

Bill	Title	Summary	Sponsor	Cosponsor Count	Last Major Action	NAPO's Position
HR99	Thin Blue Line Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide additional aggravating factors for the imposition of the death penalty based on the status of the victim.</i>	Rep. Vern Buchanan (R-Fla.)	15 total (15 Republicans)	Jan. 3, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1508	Thin Blue Line Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide additional aggravating factors for the imposition of the death penalty based on the status of the victim.</i>	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	20 total (20 Republicans)	May 16, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR119	National Statistics on Deadly Force Transparency Act	<i>A bill to require the Attorney General to issue rules pertaining to the collection and compilation of data on the use of deadly force by law enforcement officers.</i>	Rep. Steve Cohen (D-Tenn.)	19 total (19 Democrats)	Jan. 3, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Oppose

HR125	Police Training and Independent Review Act	<i>A bill to provide for grants for States that require sensitivity training for law enforcement officers of that State and to incentivize States to enact laws requiring the independent investigation and prosecution of the use of deadly force by law enforcement officers.</i>	Rep. Steve Cohen (D-Tenn.)	69 total (69 Democrats)	Jan. 3, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Oppose
HR141	Social Security Fairness Act	<i>A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the Government pension offset and windfall elimination provisions.</i>	Rep. Rodney Davis (R-Ill.)	213 total (159 Democrats, 53 Republicans, 1 Independents)	Jan. 3, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
S521	Social Security Fairness Act	<i>A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the Government pension offset and windfall elimination provisions.</i>	Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-Ohio)	34 total (28 Democrats, 4 Republicans, 2 Independents)	Feb. 14, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Finance.	Support
HR188	Securing Access to Lower Taxes by ensuring (SALT) Deductibility Act	<i>A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the limitation on the deduction for certain taxes, including State and local property and income taxes.</i>	Rep. Nita M. Lowey (D-N.Y.)	16 total (12 Democrats, 4 Republicans)	Jan. 3, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
HR397	Rehabilitation for Multiemployer Pensions Act	<i>A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to create a Pension Rehabilitation Trust Fund, to establish a Pension Rehabilitation Administration within the Department of the Treasury to make loans to multiemployer defined benefit plans.</i>	Rep. Richard E. Neal (D-Mass.)	209 total (199 Democrats, 9 Republicans, 1 Independents)	July 24, 2019 — House Vote 505 Pension Plan Loans — Passed 264-169.	Support

S171	Abby Honold Act	<i>A bill to authorize the Office on Violence Against Women to improve the handling of crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking by incorporating a trauma-informed approach into the initial response to and investigation of such crimes.</i>	Sen. Amy Klobuchar (D-Minn.)	1 total (1 Republicans)	Jan. 16, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR748	Middle Class Health Benefits Tax Repeal Act	<i>A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on high cost employer-sponsored health coverage.</i>	Rep. Joe Courtney (D-Conn.)	369 total (200 Democrats, 168 Republicans, 1 Independents)	July 17, 2019 — House Vote 493 Health Plan Tax Repeal — Passed 419-6.	Support
HRES92	A resolution calling for the immediate extradition of Joanne Chesimard	<i>A resolution calling for the immediate extradition or rendering to the United States of convicted felons William Morales, Joanne Chesimard, and all other fugitives from justice who are receiving safe harbor in Cuba in order to escape prosecution or confinement for criminal offenses committed in the United States.</i>	Rep. Peter T. King (R-N.Y.)	7 total (3 Democrats, 4 Republicans)	Jan. 30, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Foreign Affairs.	Support

SRES232	A resolution calling for the immediate extradition of Joanne Chesimard	<i>A resolution calling for the immediate extradition or rendering to the United States of convicted felons William Morales, Joanne Chesimard, and all other fugitives from justice who are receiving safe harbor in Cuba in order to escape prosecution or confinement for criminal offenses committed in the United States.</i>	Sen. Robert Menendez (D-N.J.)	1 total (1 Republicans)	June 5, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Foreign Relations.	Support
HR1210	Heroes Lesley Zerebny and Gilbert Vega First Responders Survivors Support Act	<i>A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to make reforms to the benefits for Public Service Officers.</i>	Rep. Raul Ruiz (D-Calif.)	35 total (31 Democrats, 4 Republicans)	Feb. 13, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S465	Heroes Lesley Zerebny and Gilbert Vega First Responders Survivors Support Act	<i>A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to make reforms to the benefits for Public Service Officers.</i>	Sen. Tammy Duckworth (D-Ill.)	7 total (7 Democrats)	Feb. 12, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR1154	Public Safety Employer-Employee Cooperation Act	<i>A bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions.</i>	Rep. Dan Kildee (D-Mich.)	196 total (177 Democrats, 18 Republicans, 1 Independents)	Feb. 13, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Education and Labor.	Support
S1394	Public Safety Employer-Employee Cooperation Act	<i>A bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions.</i>	Sen. Tammy Baldwin (D-Wis.)	18 total (15 Democrats, 2 Republicans, 1 Independents)	May 9, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Health, Education, Labor and Pensions.	Support

HR1156	LEOSA Reform Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to improve the Law Enforcement Officer Safety Act and provisions relating to the carrying of concealed weapons by law enforcement officers.</i>	Rep. Don Bacon (R-Neb.)	26 total (26 Republicans)	Feb. 13, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR1195	Law Enforcement Officers Equity Act	<i>A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to include certain Federal positions within the definition of law enforcement officer for retirement purposes, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Peter T. King (R-N.Y.)	47 total (35 Democrats, 12 Republicans)	Feb. 13, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Oversight and Reform.	Support
S473	Law Enforcement Officers Equity Act	<i>A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to include certain Federal positions within the definition of law enforcement officer for retirement purposes, and for other purposes.</i>	Sen. Cory Booker (D-N.J.)	5 total (4 Democrats, 1 Republicans)	Feb. 13, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.	Support
HR1325	Protect and Serve Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to punish criminal offenses targeting law enforcement officers.</i>	Rep. John Rutherford (R-Fla.)	21 total (5 Democrats, 16 Republicans)	Feb. 22, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
✓ HR1327	Never Forget the Heroes: Permanent Authorization of the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund Act	<i>A bill to extend authorization for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001 through fiscal year 2090.</i>	Rep. Carolyn B. Maloney (D-N.Y.)	332 total (236 Democrats, 96 Republicans)	July 29, 2019 — Signed by the president.	Support

S546	Never Forget the Heroes: Permanent Authorization of the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund Act	<i>A bill to extend authorization for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001 through fiscal year 2090.</i>	Sen. Kirsten Gillibrand (D-N.Y.)	73 total (44 Democrats, 27 Republicans, 2 Independents)	Feb. 25, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
S710	Social Security Fairness for Firefighters and Police Officers Act	<i>To exempt firefighters and police officers from the Government Pension Offset and Windfall Elimination Provisions under the Social Security Act.</i>	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)		March 7, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Finance.	Support
HR1866	Probation Officer Protection Act	<i>A bill to amend section 3606 of title 18, United States Code, to grant probation officers authority to arrest hostile third parties who obstruct or impede a probation officer in the performance of official duties.</i>	Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. (D-N.J.)	3 total (3 Republicans)	March 25, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S954	Providing Officers With Electronic Resources (POWER) Act	<i>A bill to provide grants to State, local, territorial, and Tribal law enforcement agencies to purchase chemical screening devices and train personnel to use chemical screening devices in order to enhance law enforcement efficiency and protect law enforcement officers.</i>	Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-Ohio)	14 total (7 Democrats, 7 Republicans)	March 28, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support

HR2070	Providing Officers With Electronic Resources (POWER) Act	<i>A bill to provide grants to State, local, territorial, and Tribal law enforcement agencies to purchase chemical screening devices and train personnel to use chemical screening devices in order to enhance law enforcement efficiency and protect law enforcement officers.</i>	Rep. Conor Lamb (D-Pa.)	17 total (10 Democrats, 7 Republicans)	April 3, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR2368	Supporting and Treating Officers In Crisis Act	<i>A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to expand support for police officer family services, stress reduction, and suicide prevention.</i>	Rep. Guy Reschenthaler (R-Pa.)	12 total (6 Democrats, 6 Republicans)	July 9, 2019 — Reported to the House by the House Judiciary Committee and placed on the Calendar.	Support
✓S998	Supporting and Treating Officers In Crisis Act	<i>A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to expand support for police officer family services, stress reduction, and suicide prevention.</i>	Sen. Josh Hawley (R-Mo.)	21 total (10 Democrats, 11 Republicans)	July 25, 2019 — Signed by the president.	Support
HR2103	Tax Fairness for Workers Act	<i>A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow workers an above-the-line deduction for union dues and expenses and to allow a miscellaneous itemized deduction for workers for all unreimbursed expenses incurred in the trade or business of being an employee.</i>	Rep. Conor Lamb (D-Pa.)	18 total (15 Democrats, 3 Republicans)	April 4, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support

S1026	Tax Fairness for Workers Act	<i>A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow workers an above-the-line deduction for union dues and expenses and to allow a miscellaneous itemized deduction for workers for all unreimbursed expenses incurred in the trade or business of being an employee.</i>	Sen. Bob Casey (D-Pa.)	16 total (15 Democrats, 1 Independents)	April 4, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Finance.	Support
HR2812	Protecting America's First Responders Act	<i>A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 with respect to payments to certain public safety officers who have become permanently and totally disabled as a result of personal injuries sustained in the line of duty.</i>	Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. (D-N.J.)	36 total (28 Democrats, 8 Republicans)	May 16, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1208	Protecting America's First Responders Act	<i>A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 with respect to payments to certain public safety officers who have become permanently and totally disabled as a result of personal injuries sustained in the line of duty.</i>	Sen. Charles E. Grassley (R-Iowa)	15 total (9 Democrats, 6 Republicans)	May 16, 2019 — Measure, as amended, passed in the Senate by voice vote.	Support
✓HR2379	A bill to reauthorize the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program.	<i>A bill to permanently reauthorized the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program at \$30 million per year.</i>	Rep. Bill Pascrell Jr. (D-N.J.)	26 total (17 Democrats, 9 Republicans)	May 23, 2019 — Signed by the president.	Support

S1231	A bill to reauthorize the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program.	<i>A bill to permanently reauthorize the Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program at \$30 million per year.</i>	Sen. Patrick J. Leahy (D-Vt.)	19 total (10 Democrats, 9 Republicans)	May 14, 2019 — Measure passed in the Senate by unanimous consent.	Support
S1480	Back the Blue Act	<i>A bill to protect law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.</i>	Sen. John Cornyn (R-Texas)	16 total (16 Republicans)	May 15, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR2805	Protecting Officers of the Law In Civilian Establishments (POLICE) Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to permit uniformed law enforcement officers to carry agency-issued firearms in certain Federal facilities.</i>	Rep. Trey Hollingsworth (R-Ind.)	11 total (11 Republicans)	May 16, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1537	Lifesaving Gear for Police Act	<i>A bill to ensure America's law enforcement officers have access to lifesaving equipment needed to defend themselves and civilians from attacks by terrorists and violent criminals.</i>	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	2 total (2 Republicans)	May 16, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.	Support
HR2837	Restoring the Armed Career Criminal Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, relating to sentencing of armed career criminals.</i>	Rep. David Kustoff (R-Tenn.)		May 20, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
S1547	Restoring the Armed Career Criminal Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, relating to sentencing of armed career criminals.</i>	Sen. Tom Cotton (R-Ark.)	5 total (5 Republicans)	May 20, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR2873	Protecting Against Child Exploitation Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to criminalize the knowing consent of the visual depiction, or live transmission, of a minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct.</i>	Rep. Mike Johnson (R-La.)	3 total (3 Republicans)	May 21, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support

HR2896	Stopping Harmful Image Exploitation and Limiting Distribution (SHIELD) Act	<i>A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide that it is unlawful to knowingly distribute private intimate visual depictions with reckless disregard for the individual's lack of consent to the distribution, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Jackie Speier (D-Calif.)	36 total (32 Democrats, 4 Republicans)	May 22, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR2927	Preventing Tragedies Between Police and Communities Act	<i>A bill to require that States and localities receiving grants under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program require law enforcement officers to undergo training on and thereafter employ de-escalation techniques to assist in reducing the need for the use of force by such officers, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Gwen Moore (D-Wis.)	5 total (5 Democrats)	May 22, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Oppose
S1644	Stop Dangerous Sanctuary Cities Act	<i>A bill to ensure that State and local law enforcement may cooperate with Federal officials to protect our communities from violent criminals and suspected terrorists who are illegally present in the United States.</i>	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	24 total (24 Republicans)	May 23, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
S1883	Combating Money Laundering, Terrorist Financing, and Counterfeiting	<i>A bill to improve the prohibitions on money laundering.</i>	Sen. Charles E. Grassley (R-Iowa)	4 total (3 Democrats, 1 Republicans)	July 23, 2019 — Reported to the Senate by the Senate Judiciary Committee and placed on the Senate Legislative Calendar.	Support

S1938	Police Training and Independent Review Act	<i>A bill to provide for grants for States that require fair and impartial police training for law enforcement officers of that State and to incentivize States to enact laws requiring the independent investigation and prosecution of the use of deadly force by law enforcement officers, and for other purposes.</i>	Sen. Tammy Duckworth (D-Ill.)	5 total (4 Democrats, 1 Independents)	June 20, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Oppose
HR3735	Law Enforcement Suicide Data Collection Act	<i>A bill to require the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation to provide information on suicide rates in law enforcement, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Mike Quigley (D-Ill.)	17 total (14 Democrats, 3 Republicans)	July 12, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support
HR3934	Equal Treatment of Public Servants Act	<i>To amend title II of the Social Security Act to replace the windfall elimination provision with a formula equalizing benefits for certain individuals with noncovered employment, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Kevin Brady (R-Texas)	34 total (2 Democrats, 32 Republicans)	July 24, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Undecided
HR3980	Eric's Law	<i>To amend title 18, United States Code, to require the impaneling of a new jury if a jury fails to recommend by unanimous vote a sentence for conviction of a crime punishable by death.</i>	Rep. Fred Keller (R-Pa.)	5 total (5 Republicans)	July 25, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Support

S2264	Eric's Law	<i>To amend title 18, United States Code, to require the impaneling of a new jury if a jury fails to recommend by unanimous vote a sentence for conviction of a crime punishable by death.</i>	Sen. Patrick J. Toomey (R-Pa.)	5 total (5 Republicans)	July 25, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
S2323	Screening All Fentanyl-Enhanced (SAFE) Mail Act	<i>A bill to require the screening of 100 percent of international mail and express cargo inbound into the United States from high-risk countries to detect and prevent the importation of illicit fentanyl and other illicit synthetic opioids, and for other purposes.</i>	Sen. Edward J. Markey (D-Mass.)		July 30, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.	Support
S2355	End Racial and Religious Profiling Act	<i>To eliminate racial, religious, and other discriminatory profiling by law enforcement, and for other purposes.</i>	Sen. Benjamin L. Cardin (D-Md.)	26 total (25 Democrats, 1 Independents)	July 31, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Oppose
S2434	National Criminal Justice Commission Act	<i>To establish the National Criminal Justice Commission.</i>	Sen. Gary Peters (D-Mich.)	19 total (11 Democrats, 8 Republicans)	Aug. 1, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support
HR4339	End Racial Profiling Act	<i>A bill to eliminate racial profiling by law enforcement, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee (D-Texas)	62 total (62 Democrats)	Sept. 16, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Undecided

HR4359	Police Exercising Absolute Care With Everyone Act	<i>A bill to provide that a Federal law enforcement officer may not use deadly force or less lethal force unless such force is necessary, to encourage States to adopt similar laws or policies, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Ro Khanna (D-Calif.)	22 total (22 Democrats)	Sept. 17, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Oppose
HR4408	Eric Garner Excessive Use of Force Prevention Act	<i>A bill to amend section 242 of title 18, United States Code, to forbid the use of chokeholds by persons subject to that provision's prohibitions, and for other purposes.</i>	Rep. Hakeem Jeffries (D-N.Y.)	29 total (29 Democrats)	Sept. 19, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Judiciary.	Oppose
HR4527	Expanding Health Care Options for Early Retirees Act	<i>A bill to to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide an option for first responders age 50 to 64 who are separated from service due to retirement or disability to buy into Medicare.</i>	Rep. Tom Malinowski (D-N.J.)	5 total (5 Democrats)	Sept. 26, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Energy and Commerce, House Ways and Means.	Support
S2552	Expanding Health Care Options for Early Retirees Act	<i>A bill to to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide an option for first responders age 50 to 64 who are separated from service due to retirement or disability to buy into Medicare.</i>	Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-Ohio)		Sept. 26, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Finance.	Support

HR4540	Public Servants Protection and Fairness Act	<i>A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide an equitable Social Security formula for individuals with non-covered employment and to provide relief for individuals currently affected by the Windfall Elimination Provision.</i>	Rep. Richard E. Neal (D-Mass.)		Sept. 27, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: House Ways and Means.	Support
S2690	RESPONSE Act	<i>A bill to reduce mass violence, strengthen mental health collaboration in communities, improve school safety, and for other purposes.</i>	Sen. John Cornyn (R-Texas)	5 total (5 Republicans)	Oct. 23, 2019 — Read twice and referred to: Senate Judiciary.	Support