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**SECTIONS:** Blue Water Navy

Agent Orange Survivors of Guam

Veterans of Southeast Asia

Veterans of Panama Canal Zone

Veterans of Okinawa

At-Risk Veterans

## MILITARY-VETERANS ADVOCACY

Legislative Agenda 118<sup>th</sup> Congress

The Military-Veterans Advocacy, Inc Board had approved the following items to the MVA<sup>TM</sup> primary agenda for the 118<sup>th</sup> Congress:

- 1. Earlier effective date for Guam (Aug 15, 1958). HR 1191
- 2. Herbicide benefits for Panama. HR 2447
- 3. Herbicide benefits for Okinawa.
- 4. Require a timeline for VA response to rulemaking requests.
- 5. VA benefits and Appellate reform including legislatively overruling George v. McDonogh.
- 6. Return the Blue Water line to the theater of combat as existed prior to 2002.
- 7. Cover military dependents exposed to Toxic Exposures.
- 8. The o2 Project (partnership with Benjamin Ware Legacy Fund). S 206 & H Res 387
- 9. Hyperbaric Oxygen Treatment for Traumatic Brain Injury. HR 105 & HR 3649
- 10. Stellate Ganglion Treatment for PTSD at VA. <u>HR 3023</u>
- 11. Presumptive benefits for Fort McClellan. Defer until study ordered by PACT Act completed.