

Legislation

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To provide for the freedom of conscience of military chaplains with respect to the performance of marriages.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—112th Cong., 1st Sess.

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Viz: AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. WICKER
(for himself, Mr. Inhofe, Mr. Sessions,
Mr. Roberts, and Mr. Paul)

1 At the end of subtitle C of title V, add the following:

2 **SEC. 527. FREEDOM OF CONSCIENCE OF MILITARY CHAP-**

3 **LAINS WITH RESPECT TO THE PERFORM-**

4 **ANCE OF MARRIAGES.**

5 A military chaplain who, as a matter of conscience

6 or moral principle, does not wish to perform a marriage

7 may not be required to do so.