

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, November 6, 2003

11:00 AM

Committee Room - City Hall

Committee on General Welfare

Bill de Blasio, Chair

*Members: Bill Perkins, Christine Quinn, Gale A. Brewer,
Larry B. Seabrook, Kendall Stewart and Jose M. Serrano*

Roll Call

Present:

de Blasio, Perkins, Quinn, Brewer and Serrano

Absent:

Seabrook and Stewart

Other Council Members Attending: Nelson

Res 1065-2003

Resolution calling upon the United States Congress to adopt House of Representatives Bill 303 and Senate Bill 392, which would permit retired members of the Armed Forces, who have a service-connected disability, to receive both retirement pay and disability compensation; and further calling upon the United States Congress to adopt House of Representatives Bill 2569, which, in addition to permitting retired members of the Armed Forces who have a service-connected disability to receive both retirement pay and disability compensation, would also improve other benefits for veterans and members of the Armed Forces.

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Affirmative: 5 -

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Absent: 2 -

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Res 1066-2003

Resolution urging Congress to hold hearings regarding Senate Bill 1186 and House of Representatives Bill 1264, which provide for a reduction in the backlog of claims for benefits pending with the Department of Veterans Affairs, and calling upon Congress to adopt these bills as expeditiously as possible.

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