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The Honorable Steve Daines U.S. Senate 320 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

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Dear Senator Daines:

The Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) supports your legislation, the "TRICARE Reserve Improvement Act" (S.164). The bill removes the prohibition on eligibility for TRICARE Reserve Select for members of the reserve component who are eligible to enroll in a health benefit plan under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program (FEHBP).

The Association appreciates your dedication to the Armed Forces. The FRA point of contact is Brian Condon, Assistant Director of Veterans Programs, at <u>brianc@fra.org</u>.

Sincerely, Chomes A

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