Honoring Every Requirement of Exemplary Service Act (Heroes Act) of 2005

This legislation greatly expanded the gratuity paid to the families of military personnel killed in combat and combat-related training. Under the provision written by Senator Sessions, the death gratuity rose from $12,420 to $100,000 and the Servicemen's Group Life Insurance Maximum benefit increased from $250,000 to $400,000.

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