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State and Local Leaders,

Thank you to those who joined Monday's conference call with the White House and the Department of Veterans Affairs on the Trump Administration's efforts to support our nation's veterans and the Veterans Choice Program.

Below you will find a statement from the White House Press Secretary on the U.S. Senate's passage of the VA MISSION Act.

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Statement from the Press Secretary on the Senate Passage of the VA MISSION Act
President Donald J. Trump applauds the U.S. Senate for voting to pass the VA MISSION Act today, an important piece of legislation that will transform the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) into a high-performing and integrated healthcare system for the 21st century and provide Veterans with more Choice in their healthcare options, whether from VA doctors or from the community.

Passing this legislation is another promise made and promise kept to America's Veterans under President Trump's leadership, which has provided the most substantial VA reform in a generation.

The Administration will continue implementing policies that transform and modernize the VA to better serve our nation's heroes.

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Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
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