

Representative Don Bacon (NE-02)
Bills that have become law
Updated: January 2025

- Total number of stand-alone bills enacted into law: 2
- Total numbers of bills enacted through NDAA: 33
- Total number of bills enacted through non-NDAA legislation: 3
 - **Total number of bills introduced that became law: 38**

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Stand-alone legislation introduced by Rep. Bacon that became law:

1. [H.R. 4168](#) – 117th Congress (2021-2022) **To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6223 Maple Street, in Omaha, Nebraska, as the Petty Officer 1st Class Charles Jackson French Post Office.** Introduced 06/25/2022) **Cosponsors: 3 Committees: House- Oversight and Reform**
 - **Became law June 15, 2022 PL 117-142**
2. [H.R.504](#) — 116th Congress (2019-2020) **DHS Field Engagement Accountability Act** Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 01/11/2019) **Cosponsors: (15) Committees: House - Homeland Security**
 - **Became law March 2, 2020 PL 116-116**

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Stand-alone defense legislation introduced by Rep Bacon enacted in law through the NDAA:

3. [H.R.10353](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Middle East Space and Satellite Security Alliance Act of 2024** Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/11/2024) **Committees: House - Armed Services**
 - **Incorporated as Sec 1609 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**
4. [H.R.10352](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Joint Electromagnetic Spectrum Operations Modeling and Simulation Act of 2024** Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/11/2024) **Committees: House - Armed Services**
 - **Incorporated as Sec 1653 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**
5. [H.R.10334](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Security Assistance Funding Availability Act of 2024** Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/10/2024) **Committees: House - Armed Services**
 - **Incorporated as Sec 1201 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**
6. [H.R.10333](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Defense Hackathon Act of 2024** Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/10/2024) **Committees: House - Armed Services**
 - **Incorporated as Sec 1503 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**

7. [H.R.10332](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Military Cyber Defense Modernization Act of 2024**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/10/2024) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Sec 1502 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**
8. [H.R.5071](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Space Force Legacy Guardian Recognition Act**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 07/28/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Sec 525 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**
9. [H.R.6287](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Success for Military Connected Students Act of 2023**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 11/08/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Services; Education and the Workforce
 - **Incorporated as Sec 596 of H.R. 5009 (FY2025 NDAA) PL 118-159**
10. [H.R.6737](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Air Force Future Force Design Act of 2023** **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 923 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
11. [H.R.6735](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Fighter Force Preservation Act of 2023** **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 148 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
12. [H.R.6741](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Sentinel Program Risk Mitigation Act of 2023**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 2807 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
13. [H.R.6740](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Defense Small Business Affiliate Consideration Act of 2023** **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 865 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
14. [H.R.6739](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Defense Contract Inflation Adjustment Act of 2023**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 824 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
15. [H.R.6738](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Strategic Defense Fellows Program Act of 2023**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 1113 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
16. [H.R.5232](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Iraqi and Kurdish Peshmerga Forces Defense Act of 2023** **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 08/18/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 1266 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**
17. [H.R.5226](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **The Multipolar Deterrence Research and Analysis Act of 2023** **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 08/18/2023) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 1690 of HR 2607 (FY24 NDAA) PL 118-301**

18. [H.R.8240](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Military Energy Security Act of 2022**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 06/28/2022) **Cosponsors:** (0) **Committees:** House - Armed Service
 - **Incorporated as Section 1086 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
19. [H.R.9533](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Homeland Security Cyber Incident Response Roles and Responsibilities Act of 2022**; **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2022) **Cosponsors:** (0) **Committees:** House - Homeland Security
 - **Incorporated as Section 7124 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
20. [H.R.9532](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Warfighter Brain Health Act of 2022**; **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 735 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
21. [H.R.9531](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Military Service Academy Foundation Act of 2022**;
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 551 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
22. [H.R.9530](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Fort Omaha Land Exchange Act of 2022**
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 2844 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
23. [H.R.9529](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Defense Law Enforcement Officer Credential Act of 2022**; **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 1104 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
24. [H.R.9528](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Military Pay Enhancement Act of 2022**;
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 602 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
25. [H.R.9485](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Geographical Dispersion of Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps Act of 2022**; **Sponsor:** [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/12/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 519A of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
26. [H.R.8804](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Air Force Rated Officer Retention Program Act**;
Sponsor: [Bacon, Don \[Rep.-R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 09/13/2022) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 604 of HR 7776 (FY23 NDAA) PL 117-263**
27. [H.R. 6260](#) – 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Casualty Assistance Reform Act of 2021**; **Sponsor:** [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/14/2021) **Committees:** House - Armed Services
 - **Incorporated as Section 626 of S. 1605 (FY22 NDAA) PL 117-81**
28. [H.R.6246](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Defense Language Continuing Education Act of 2021**
Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2021) **Committees:** House - Armed Services

- Incorporated as Section 559B of S. 1605 (FY22 NDAA) PL 117-81

29. [H.R.6245](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **The Unmanned Aircraft Systems Review Act of 2021**
 Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 12/13/2021) Committees: House - Armed Services

- Incorporated as Section 1073 of S. 1605 (FY22 NDAA) PL 117-81

30. [H.R.7444](#) — 116th Congress (2019-2020) **The Professional Military Education Review Act of 2020**
 Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 07/01/2020) Committees: House - Armed Services

- Adopted as Section 559 of H.R. 6395 (FY21 NDAA) PL 116-283

31. [H.R.5553](#) — 115th Congress (2017-2018) **The Loya-Sears Warrior Transition Assistance Reform Act of 2018**; Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 04/18/2018) Cosponsors: (3)
 Committees: House - Armed Services

- Amended and incorporated as Section 552 of H.R. 5515 (FY19 NDAA) PL 115-232

32. [H.R.3897](#) — 115th Congress (2017-2018) **The Gold Star Family Support and Installation Access Act of 2017** Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 10/02/2017) Cosponsors: (89)
 Committees: House - Armed Services | Senate - Armed Services

- Amended and incorporated as Section 626 of H.R. 5515 (FY19 NDAA) PL 115-232

33. [H.R.4754](#) — 115th Congress (2017-2018) **The Change Order Transparency for Federal Contractors Act** Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 01/10/2018) Cosponsors: (5)
 Committees: House - Small Business | Senate - Small Business and Entrepreneurship

- Amended and incorporated as Section 855 of H.R. 5515 (FY19 NDAA) PL 115-232

34. [H.R.5522](#) — 115th Congress (2017-2018) **The Joint Electromagnetic Spectrum Operations Readiness Act of 2018** Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 04/16/2018) Cosponsors: (3)
 Committees: House - Armed Services

- Amended and incorporated as Section 1053 of H.R. 5515 (FY19 NDAA) PL 115-232

35. [H.R.5680](#) — 115th Congress (2017-2018) **The Taiwan Defense Assessment Commission Act of 2018**
 Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 05/07/2018) Committees: House - Foreign Affairs; Armed Services

- Amended and incorporated as Section 1257 of H.R. 5515 (FY19 NDAA) PL 115-232

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Stand-alone non-defense legislation introduced by Rep. Bacon as incorporated into other legislation:

36. [H.R.3888](#) — 117th Congress (2021-2022) **CHIP IN for Veterans Act** Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 06/15/2021) Cosponsors: (8) Committees: House - Veterans' Affairs

- Incorporated into H.R. 5293 Department of Veterans Affairs Expiring Authorities Act. Became law September 30, 2021, PL 117-42

37. [H.R.4982](#) — 116th Congress (2019-2020) **Health Care Workforce Protection Act of 2019**
 Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 11/05/2019) Cosponsors: (9) Committees: House - Energy and Commerce

- **Incorporated into H.R. 748 – CARES Act**

38. [H.R.8621](#) — 118th Congress (2023-2024) **Strengthening Tribal Families Act of 2024**

Sponsor: [Rep. Bacon, Don \[R-NE-2\]](#) (Introduced 06/05/2024) **Cosponsors:** (7) **Committees:** House-Ways and Means

- **Amended and Incorporated as Section 107 of H.R.9076, Supporting America’s Children and Families Act. Became law January 4, 2025, PL 118-258**