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"It is a great honor to be named to the Veterans' Affairs Committee," Congressman Cazayoux said. "At a time when the number of veterans is increasing in our country, it is more important than ever to support them when they come home. I will use my position on the Veterans' Affairs Committee to ensure that 6th District Veterans are given a new commitment by their government."

Representative Cazayoux has already shown a commitment to veterans by strongly supporting the new G.I. Bill, which expands the current bill to allow veterans to receive full tuition at public universities. He has also supported several measures designed to improve conditions at VA Hospitals and veterans' medical care in general.

In addition to his appointment to the committee, Congressman Cazayoux spoke today in support of H.Res. 1235, submitted by fellow Louisiana Representative Steve Scalise, which established June 6, 2008 as National D-Day Remembrance Day. It was his first speech on the floor of the House of Representatives.

"As our thoughts and prayers go out to our young men and women who fight for us in Iraq and Afghanistan, we pay tribute to their predecessors by establishing this resolution as National D-Day Remembrance Day," Cazayoux said.

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