

Media Release



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WASHINGTON, D.C.-- **NATIONAL DEFENSE PAC** today announces with pride its endorsement of **Dr. ROBERT E. JOHNSON, Major, US Army (ret)** to represent **Georgia's First District** in the United States Congress. He served our country first as a U.S. Army Ranger, then as a physician assistant and medical platoon leader and finally as a doctor. During his last four years in the Army, he was the Chief of Head and Neck Oncologic and Reconstructive Surgery at Tripler Army Medical Center. Simultaneously, he was the Chief of Special Medical Response Teams. His fine example of serving his country was recognized by his son who is, now, a cadet at West Point.

NATIONAL DEFENSE PAC Chairman Rear Admiral James J. Carey, USN (ret) stated, "Dr. Bob Johnson understands 'budget cuts pose a serious threat to military readiness – aging aircraft, a shrinking Navy, and an Army that's going to battle without needed equipment.' He is an all around man who has served his country; practiced his profession all over the world as a medical missionary and international consultant teaching emerging nations how to use their resources to respond to disasters; and, volunteered in his own community. A patriot, a solid citizen, a generous spirit of high intelligence, who, also, understands the challenges of the modern military; Bob Johnson is the best person to represent Georgia's First District in Congress."

During his military career, Major Johnson has been awarded the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal (4), Army Superior Unit Award, Air Force Organization Excellence Award, Army Good Conduct Medal, Army of Occupation Medal, National Defense Medal (2), Humanitarian Service Medal, Non Com Officer Professional Development Ribbon w/ Numeral 2, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (2), Expert Field Medical Badge, Parachutist Badge and Ranger Tab.

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