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S 2566

Early Care and Education Act Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Education
Introduced: May 23, 2002

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (May 23, 2002)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]

Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bond, Christopher S. [R-MO]	$R \cdot MO$		May 23, 2002
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		May 23, 2002
Sen. Edwards, John [D-NC]	D · NC		May 23, 2002
Sen. Gregg, Judd [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		May 23, 2002
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		May 23, 2002
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		May 23, 2002
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Sen. Wellstone, Paul D. [D-MN]	D · MN		May 23, 2002
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Jul 8, 2002
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		Sep 3, 2002
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Oct 1, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 23, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 23, 2002)

Early Care and Education Act - Directs the Secretaries of Education and of Health and Human Services to: (1) allot incentive grants to States to develop or enhance high-quality systems of early child care and early education; (2) award bonus grants to States for demonstrated improvement in such care and education; and (3) establish an information clearinghouse on such care and education.

Actions Timeline

- May 23, 2002: Introduced in Senate
- May 23, 2002: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4853-4859)
- May 23, 2002: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.