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Public School Repair and Renovation Act of 2001

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Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Mar 6, 2001
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Mar 6, 2001
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Mar 6, 2001
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 7, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 6, 2001)

Public School Repair and Renovation Act of 2001 - Amends the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish a School Renovation grants program. (This five-year program is similar to a program currently authorized for one year under the Department of Education Appropriations Act, 2001.)

Allots program funds, after certain reservations, to States for distribution through competitive grants to high-poverty LEAs, rural LEAs, and other LEAs. Requires: (1) 75 percent of program funds to be used for the urgent repair and renovation of public elementary and secondary schools in high-need areas, including renovations to comply with specified accessibility requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990; and (2) 25 percent for technology activities related to school renovation or for special education activities authorized under part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

Amends the Department of Education Appropriations Act, 2001 to revise the authorization of appropriations for a charter school credit enhancement initiative program.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 6, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 6, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1910)
- **Mar 6, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.