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HR 859

FHA First-Time Homebuyer Act Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Housing and Community Development

Introduced: Mar 5, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity. (Mar 19, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. LaFalce, John J. [D-NY-29]

Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 19, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Housing and Community Development

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 5, 2001)

FHA First-Time Homebuyer Act - Amends the National Housing Act to reduce insured mortgage downpayment requirements for a first-time homebuyer who has completed a related counseling program.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 19, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity.
- Mar 8, 2001: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E329)
- Mar 5, 2001: Introduced in House
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- Mar 5, 2001: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.