

## S 1287

A bill to amend section 502(a)(5) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 regarding the definition of a Hispanic-serving institution.

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Jun 18, 2003

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8160) (Jun 18, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-bill/1287>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (3 total)

| Cosponsor                            | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]     | D · WI        |      | Sep 8, 2003  |
| Sen. Allard, Wayne [R-CO]            | R · CO        |      | Oct 14, 2003 |
| Sen. Campbell, Ben Nighthorse [R-CO] | R · CO        |      | Mar 25, 2004 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee  | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Jun 18, 2003 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jun 18, 2003)

Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to revise the definition of a Hispanic-serving institution (HSI) under title V (Developing Institutions).

Eliminates the requirement that an HSI provide assurances that at least 50 percent of its Hispanic students are low-income students in order to be eligible for certain grants.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 18, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 18, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8159)
- **Jun 18, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8160)