

S 2206

Pell Grants Plus Act

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Education

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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. (Mar 12, 2004)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 12, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HR 3894	Related bill	Mar 29, 2004: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.

Summary (as of Mar 11, 2004)

Pell Grants Plus Act - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 (HEA) to direct the Secretary of Education to establish a program to award Pell Grants Plus grants to students who: (1) have completed a rigorous secondary school program for State Scholars; (2) are enrolled full-time in their first year of undergraduate education; and (3) are eligible to receive Federal Pell Grants for that year.

Sets such Plus grant award at \$1,000. Provides for a continuation award for the second year of undergraduate education if the student maintains compliance with certain eligibility requirements and obtains a grade point average of at least 3.0 for the first year.

Repeals HEA provisions for Academic Achievement Incentive Scholarships.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 12, 2004:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- **Mar 11, 2004:** Introduced in Senate