

S 2335

Preparing, Recruiting, and Retaining Education Professionals Act of 2004

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]

Party: Democratic • **State:** RI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Apr 22, 2004
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		Apr 22, 2004
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	D · NV		Apr 26, 2004
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jul 14, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 22, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Preparing, Recruiting, and Retaining Education Professionals Act of 2004 - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 (HEA) to reauthorize and revise title II part A provisions for teacher quality enhancement grants for States and partnerships (II-A).

Revises State grant, partnership grant, and recruitment grant requirements to include provisions relating to: (1) early childhood education; (2) exemplary, highly competent, and highly qualified teachers as these are defined under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965; (3) teacher mentoring; (4) professional development; (5) parental involvement; and (6) high-need schools and local educational agencies.

Requires States to submit teacher quality plans.

Authorizes the Secretary of Education to award grants to institutions of higher education that are II-A partner institutions to create Academies for Faculty Excellence.

Extends the authorization of appropriations for II-A through FY 2010.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 22, 2004:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 22, 2004:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4302-4303)
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