

## HR 2437

Child Protection Services Workforce Improvement Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Social Welfare

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Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Mar 3, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 30, 2003
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 19, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jun 11, 2003)

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Child Protection Services Workforce Improvement Act - Amends part B (Child-Welfare Services) of title IV of the Social Security Act (SSA) to: (1) direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services, through the Administration of Children and Families, to make grants to States to improve the quality of child welfare services by increasing the quality and capacity of their child welfare workforce or by increasing the coordination of their child welfare services; and (2) provide for an increase in payment rate for States for expenditures for short term training of staff of certain child welfare agencies and court personnel.

Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide for loan forgiveness for child welfare workers who: (1) complete a degree in social work or related field with a focus on serving children and families; and (2) obtain employment in public or private child welfare services, and work full time for two consecutive years.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 30, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
- **Jun 19, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Human Resources.
- **Jun 11, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Jun 11, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1219)
- **Jun 11, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
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