

S 570

A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 with respect to the qualifications of foreign schools.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)
Chamber: Senate
Policy Area: Education
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Law: 108-98 (Enacted Oct 10, 2003)
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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]
Party: Republican • **State:** NV • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Allard, Wayne [R-CO]	R · CO		Mar 6, 2003
Sen. Allen, George [R-VA]	R · VA		Mar 6, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 13, 2003
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Jul 17, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to revise requirements for the qualification of foreign medical or veterinary schools to participate in title IV part B Federal Family Education Loan Program.

Exempts graduate medical schools or veterinary schools located outside the United States from a requirement that they be a public or other nonprofit institution in order to qualify. Retains certain requirements for foreign medical schools, but no longer applies these to foreign veterinary schools. Requires the students of a foreign veterinary institution that is neither public nor nonprofit to complete their clinical training at an approved veterinary school located in the United States. (Current law applies the latter requirement to all foreign veterinary schools.)

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 10, 2003:** Signed by President.
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- **Oct 10, 2003:** Became Public Law No: 108-98.
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- **Oct 2, 2003:** Presented to President.
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- **Sep 30, 2003:** Mr. Boehner moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Sep 30, 2003:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8983-8985)
- **Sep 30, 2003:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 570.
- **Sep 30, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H8984)
- **Sep 30, 2003:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H8984)
- **Sep 30, 2003:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Aug 13, 2003:** Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
- **Jul 17, 2003:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 17, 2003:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 17, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.
- **Jul 16, 2003:** Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S9512)
- **Jul 16, 2003:** Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S9512)
- **Jul 16, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S9512)
- **Jul 16, 2003:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S9512)
- **Mar 6, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 6, 2003:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.