

S 1036

Rural Teacher Retention Act of 2005

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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. (May 16, 2005)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 16, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 16, 2005)

Rural Teacher Retention Act of 2005 - Directs the Secretary of Education to carry out a five-year pilot program of making allotments to applicant rural local educational agencies for: (1) one-time signing bonuses of up to \$2,000 for teachers who begin employment with them on or after enactment of this Act; and (2) bonuses of up to \$3,000 to qualified teachers who work in them for at least three consecutive years (or nonconsecutive years under certain circumstances).

Actions Timeline

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