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S 1287

Fostering Adoption to Further Student Achievement Act

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate Policy Area: Education Introduced: Jun 22, 2005

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as

introduced: CR S7073) (Jun 22, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]

Party: Republican • State: MN • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D·LA		Jun 22, 2005
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	$R \cdot KY$		Jul 1, 2005
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jul 11, 2005
Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		Jul 12, 2005
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Sep 6, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 22, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 3252	Identical bill	May 1, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.

Summary (as of Jun 22, 2005)

Fostering Adoption to Further Student Achievement Act - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include, under the definition of independent student for financial need analysis purposes, individuals who were adopted from the foster care system when they were 13 years of age or older.

Actions Timeline

- Jun 22, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 22, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7073)
- Jun 22, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7073)