

HR 1764

Reading Failure Prevention Act of 2005

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

Introduced: Apr 21, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform. (May 9, 2005)

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Committee Activity

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| Education and Workforce Committee | House | Referred to | May 9, 2005 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 21, 2005)

Reading Failure Prevention Act of 2005 - Authorizes the Secretary of Education to make grants to States to establish statewide programs for screening children between the ages of five and seven for the prevention of reading failure.

Requires a State to agree to use the grant to: (1) develop and implement a program that screens such children for traits that indicate dyslexia or other risk of reading failure; and (2) provide adequate professional development for personnel who administer screening programs under this Act.

Actions Timeline

- **May 9, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
- **Apr 22, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E735-736)
- **Apr 21, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 21, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

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