

## S 2160

Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders Higher Education Enhancement Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Education

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Dec 21, 2005

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Dec 21, 2005

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Education

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 2616	Related bill	<b>Jun 22, 2005:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.

### Summary (as of Dec 21, 2005)

Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders Higher Education Enhancement Act - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 title III part A (Strengthening Institutions) to direct the Secretary of Education to provide grants and related assistance to certain institutions of higher education for activities to improve their capacity to serve students who are Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders. Gives priority to eligible institutions with a significant percentage of enrollment made up of such students who are low-income individuals.

### Actions Timeline

- Dec 21, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- Dec 21, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR 12/22/2005 S14322)
- Dec 21, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.