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# HR 3259

Affordable Books for College Act Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Education Introduced: Jul 12, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness. (Aug 10, 2005)

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**Sponsor** 

Name: Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]

Party: Democratic • State: OH • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 10, 2005

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Education

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 1384	Identical bill	Jul 12, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Summary** (as of Jul 12, 2005)

Affordable Books for College Act - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish a demonstration program of loans to expand college bookstore services to provide students with the option to rent course materials.

Directs the Secretary of Education to make such loans to a limited number of eligible entities, as well as feasibility study grants prior to loan applications.

### **Actions Timeline**

- Aug 10, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
- Jul 12, 2005: Introduced in House
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