

SRES 488

A resolution expressing the sense of Congress that institutions of higher education should adopt policies and educational programs on their campuses to help deter and eliminate illicit copyright infringement occurring on, and encourage educational uses of, their computer systems and networks.

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Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

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Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SRES 438	Related bill	Apr 7, 2006: Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3394)

Expresses the sense of Congress that colleges and universities should continue to: (1) take a leadership role in educating students regarding the detrimental consequences of online infringement of intellectual property rights; and (2) take steps to deter and eliminate unauthorized peer-to-peer computer use by warning students of the risks of such use and educating them concerning the value of intellectual property.

Actions Timeline

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