

HR 5357

Research for Competitiveness Act

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Sponsor

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Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jun 6, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Science, Space, and Technology Committee	House	Referred To	May 11, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

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109 HR 5356	Text similarities	Jun 22, 2006: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 294.

Research for Competitiveness Act - Requires the Director of the National Science Foundation to carry out a program of awarding competitive grants to scientists and engineers at the early stage of their careers at institutions of higher education and research institutions to conduct, high-risk, high-return research in areas relevant to industry.

Directs the Under Secretary for Science of the Department of Energy to carry out a program of awarding competitive grants to scientists and engineers at the early stage of their careers at institutions of higher education and research institutions to conduct high-risk, high-return research in areas relevant to energy production, storage, and use.

Actions Timeline

- **May 11, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **May 11, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E806-807)
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