

HR 5545

To amend the Public Health Service Act to ensure that projects funded through the National Institutes of Health comply with wage rate requirements commonly referred to as the "Davis-Bacon Act", and for other purposes.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Jun 7, 2006

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections. (Jul 24, 2006)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 24, 2006
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 23, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 7, 2006)

Amends the Public Health Service Act to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to require that applications for a National Institutes of Health (NIH) loan, grant, contract, or cooperative agreement for any project include reasonable assurance that all laborers and mechanics employed by contractors or subcontractors in the performance of construction or modernization on the project will be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on similar work in the locality as determined by the Secretary of Labor.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 24, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
- **Jun 23, 2006:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Jun 7, 2006:** Introduced in House
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