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# S 694

A bill to amend the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to provide for a job training grant pilot program.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Apr 4, 2005

Current Status: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-152 Latest Action: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-152.

(Apr 14, 2005)

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## **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]

Party: Republican • State: MN • Chamber: Senate

# **Cosponsors**

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Apr 14, 2005

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

### **Policy Area:**

Labor and Employment

# **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

### **Summary** (as of Apr 4, 2005)

Amends the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to establish a job training grant pilot program.

Directs the Secretary of Labor to make such grants to qualified training programs in the following forms: (1) placement grants, upon placement of a qualified graduate in qualifying employment; and (2) retention grants, in an additional amount, upon retention of a qualified graduate in qualifying employment for one year.

Requires the Secretary, in determining the amount of such grants, to consider the economic benefit received by the Government from the employment of the qualified graduate, including increased tax revenue and decreased unemployment benefits or other support obligations. Sets forth criteria for qualified job training programs, qualified graduates, and qualifying employment.

# **Actions Timeline** • Apr 14, 2005: Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-152. • Apr 4, 2005: Introduced in Senate • Apr 4, 2005: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3156)