

# HR 1718

Foreign Language Education Expansion Act

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Mar 27, 2007

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness. (Jul 9, 2007)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-bill/1718>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]

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

## Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. Reyes, Silvestre [D-TX-16]	D · TX		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. Shays, Christopher [R-CT-4]	R · CT		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Mar 27, 2007
Rep. Delahunt, William D. [D-MA-10]	D · MA		Mar 28, 2007
Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol [D-NH-1]	D · NH		Mar 28, 2007
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Apr 24, 2007
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Apr 24, 2007
Rep. Chandler, Ben [D-KY-6]	D · KY		May 9, 2007
Rep. Meek, Kendrick B. [D-FL-17]	D · FL		Jun 12, 2007
Rep. Miller, Brad [D-NC-13]	D · NC		Jun 12, 2007
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jun 19, 2007
Rep. Hare, Phil [D-IL-17]	D · IL		Jun 25, 2007

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 9, 2007

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Education

## Related Bills

---

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Mar 27, 2007)

---

Foreign Language Education Expansion Act - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require the Secretary of Education to assume or cancel loans made under the Federal Family Education Loan or the Direct Loan programs to individuals who have been employed for five consecutive complete school years as full-time foreign language teachers in secondary schools whose enrollment of disadvantaged students exceeds 30% and whose local educational agencies are eligible for funding under title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965

Caps loan forgiveness at \$17,500.

Limits the benefits of this Act to new borrowers on or after October 1, 2001.

## Actions Timeline

---

- **Jul 9, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness.
- **Mar 27, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 27, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.