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HR 2004

Higher Education for Freedom Act Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Education Introduced: Apr 23, 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)

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

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

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 23, 2007)

Higher Education for Freedom Act - Directs the Secretary of Education to make competitive grants to institutions of higher education and nonprofit history or academic organizations associated with higher education to prepare elementary, middle, and secondary school history teachers and to strengthen postsecondary programs in fields related to the founding of the United States, free institutions, and Western civilization.

Actions Timeline

- Jul 9, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness.
- Apr 23, 2007: Introduced in House
- Apr 23, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E828)
- Apr 23, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.