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S 2371

A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to make technical corrections.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate Policy Area: Education Introduced: Nov 15, 2007

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 110-153.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 110-153. (Dec 21, 2007)

Law: 110-153 (Enacted Dec 21, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]

Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 4153	Related bill	Nov 14, 2007: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the House on December 5, 2007. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Makes technical changes to amendments the College Cost Reduction and Access Act (the Act) made to the Higher Education Act of 1965 (HEA).

Specifies the untaxed income and benefits which the Act excluded from the list of untaxed income and benefits considered in federal student need analyses (thereby, specifically excluding them from such analyses).

Provides that, for married borrowers who file separate tax returns, income-based loan repayments under the HEA shall be determined solely on the basis of the individual borrower's student loan debt and adjusted gross income.

Amends the Act to make technical amendments with respect to Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grants.

Actions Timeline

- Dec 21, 2007: Signed by President.
- Dec 21, 2007: Became Public Law No: 110-153.
- Dec 11, 2007: Presented to President.
- Dec 6, 2007: Resolving differences -- Senate actions: Senate concurred in House amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S14827; text as Senate agreed to House amendment: CR S14827)
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- Dec 6, 2007: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Dec 6, 2007: Cleared for White House.
- Dec 5, 2007: Mrs. McCarthy (NY) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- Dec 5, 2007: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H14184-14185)
- Dec 5, 2007: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 2371.
- Dec 5, 2007: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H14184-14185)
- Dec 5, 2007: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H14184-14185)
- Dec 5, 2007: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Dec 5, 2007: Message on House action received in Senate and at desk: House amendment to Senate bill.
- Nov 15, 2007: Introduced in Senate
- Nov 15, 2007: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Introduced in the Senate, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S14567-14568; text as passed Senate: CR S14568)
- Nov 15, 2007: Introduced in the Senate, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S14567-14568; text as passed Senate: CR S14568)
- Nov 15, 2007: Received in the House.
- Nov 15, 2007: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Nov 15, 2007: Held at the desk.