

# HR 2436

Nanotechnology in the Schools Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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**Current Status:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.

**Latest Action:** Subcommittee Hearings Held. (Oct 2, 2007)

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## Committee Activity

| Committee                                | Chamber | Activity                   | Date        |
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| Science, Space, and Technology Committee | House   | Hearings By (subcommittee) | Oct 2, 2007 |

## Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

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## Related Bills

| Bill       | Relationship | Last Action   |
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| 110 S 1199 | Related bill | <b>Apr 24, 2007:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4925-4926) |

Nanotechnology in the Schools Act - Requires the Director of the National Science Foundation (NSF) to establish a nanotechnology in the schools program awarding matching grants to certain eligible institutions for the purchase of nanotechnology equipment and software and the provision of nanotechnology education to students and teachers.

Lists as eligible grantees: (1) public, private, parochial, and charter secondary schools that offer advanced or international baccalaureate science courses; (2) community colleges; (3) four-year institutions of higher education; and (4) informal learning science and technology centers.

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### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 2, 2007:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **May 31, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Research and Science Education.
- **May 22, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **May 22, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Science and Technology.