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HR 3197

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2007

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 26, 2007)

School Building Enhancement Act - Authorizes the Secretary of Education to provide grants to: (1) states and local educational agencies (LEAs) for providing intensive technical assistance for, and assisting the implementation of, the EnergySmart Schools Program of the Department of Energy (DOE) and the Energy Star for K-12 School Districts program of the Environmental Protection Agency; (2) LEAs that become partners through such Energy Star program; and (3) states for use in the development, in partnership with DOE, of state-level school energy efficiency quality plans.

Requires the Secretary to give priority to projects to provide assistance to school districts with a demonstrated need for energy efficiency improvement.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 19, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- Jul 26, 2007: Introduced in House
- Jul 26, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.