

HR 3966

Early Education Workforce Act

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Policy Area: Education

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Nov 5, 2007
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Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Nov 15, 2007
Rep. Schwartz, Allyson Y. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Dec 6, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 14, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 4137	Related bill	Aug 14, 2008: Became Public Law No: 110-315.

Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize the Secretary of Education to award competitive grants to states for the establishment of a task force composed of state, higher education, and early childhood education representatives and tasked with planning and reviewing the implementation of statewide early childhood education professional development and career systems.

Includes among task force duties: (1) developing a professional development and career lattice that provides for a variety of early childhood professional roles with varying professional qualifications and responsibilities, including strategies that offer compensation commensurate with a individual's credentials and training support; (2) assisting institutions of higher education to develop articulation agreements that convert diverse training into academic credits; (3) supporting undergraduate and graduate degree programs in early childhood education; and (4) subjecting the system to quality assurance measures.

Directs state grantees to submit their statewide plans for such systems to the Secretary within one year of receiving a grant.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 14, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Oct 25, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 25, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2246-2247)
- **Oct 25, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H12094-12095)
- **Oct 25, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.