

## HR 7137

Supporting Mentors, Supporting Our Youth Act of 2008

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Sep 26, 2008

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Sep 26, 2008)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-7]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 26, 2008

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Education

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 3635	Identical bill	<b>Sep 26, 2008:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

### Summary (as of Sep 26, 2008)

Supporting Mentors, Supporting Our Youth Act of 2008 - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide student loan forgiveness or cancellation under the Federal Family Education Loan or Direct Loan programs to student borrowers at institutions of higher education who volunteer to mentor an at-risk child for a period of at least one year.

Provides \$10 of loan forgiveness or cancellation for each hour of mentoring, but limits such forgiveness or cancellation to no more than \$10,000 and no more than five years of mentoring for each borrower.

### Actions Timeline

- Sep 26, 2008:** Introduced in House
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