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Loan Forgiveness for Head Start Teachers Act of 2007

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Education

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: Senate

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Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	R · OH		Mar 14, 2007
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 26, 2007
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Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	R · MN		Mar 28, 2007
Sen. Akaka, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	ID · CT		Apr 10, 2007
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Apr 12, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 14, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 1779	Identical bill	Jul 9, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness.

Loan Forgiveness for Head Start Teachers Act of 2007 - Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require the Secretary of Education to assume or cancel loans made under the Federal Family Education Loan or the Direct Loan programs to individuals who have been employed as Head Start teachers for five consecutive complete program years, if they have demonstrated knowledge and teaching skills in reading, writing, early childhood development, and other areas of a preschool curriculum, with a focus on cognitive learning.

Limits the benefits of this Act to individuals who earn a baccalaureate or graduate degree on or after the date of this Act's enactment.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Mar 14, 2007:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 14, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S3138-3139)
- **Mar 14, 2007:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3139)