

S 1210

STEM Education Coordination Act of 2009

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Education

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (text of measure

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: DE • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jun 8, 2009
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Jul 7, 2009
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jul 7, 2009
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jul 7, 2009
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Jul 7, 2009
Sen. Udall, Mark [D-CO]	D · CO		Jul 8, 2009
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Sep 17, 2009

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 8, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 3605	Related bill	Dec 10, 2010: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 687.
111 HR 1709	Related bill	Jun 9, 2009: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

STEM Education Coordination Act of 2009 - Requires the Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) to establish a committee under the National Science and Technology Council that has the responsibility of coordinating federal programs and activities in support of STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) education.

Directs such committee to: (1) coordinate the STEM education activities and programs of federal agencies; (2) develop, implement through participating agencies, and update once every five years, a five-year STEM education strategic plan; and (3) establish, periodically update, and maintain an inventory of federally sponsored STEM education programs and activities, including documentation of assessments of the effectiveness of such programs and activities and rates of participation by women, underrepresented minorities, and persons in rural areas.

Requires the Director to annually report to Congress on the STEM education strategic plan.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 8, 2009:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jun 8, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6271-6272)
- **Jun 8, 2009:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6272)