

HR 1338

Student Support Act

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Policy Area: Education

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections. (Apr 29, 2009)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 29, 2009
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 5, 2009)

Student Support Act - Amends the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to require the Secretary of Education to make matching grants of at least \$1 million to states for allocation to local educational agencies (LEAs) so that additional school-based mental health and student service providers may be hired, thereby reducing the student-to-provider ratios in elementary and secondary schools to specified levels recommended by the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences. Includes school counselors, school psychologists or other psychologists, child or adolescent psychiatrists, and school social workers among such providers.

Requires grants to states and state allocations to LEAs to be made pursuant to specified formulas that take into account a state's and school district's share of disadvantaged children.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 29, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Apr 29, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
- **Mar 5, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 5, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.