

HR 2740

IDEA Fairness Restoration Act

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Policy Area: Education

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** MD • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (25 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Jun 4, 2009
Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		Jul 9, 2009
Rep. Meek, Kendrick B. [D-FL-17]	D · FL		Jul 9, 2009
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jul 13, 2009
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Jul 15, 2009
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Jul 15, 2009
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Jul 15, 2009
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-16]	D · CA		Jul 24, 2009
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Jul 24, 2009
Rep. Frank, Barney [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Jul 27, 2009
Rep. Sarbanes, John P. [D-MD-3]	D · MD		Sep 10, 2009
Rep. Sestak, Joe [D-PA-7]	D · PA		Sep 10, 2009
Rep. Courtney, Joe [D-CT-2]	D · CT		Sep 15, 2009
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Oct 6, 2009
Rep. Stark, Fortney Pete [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Oct 29, 2009
Rep. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Nov 2, 2009
Rep. Weiner, Anthony D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Jan 26, 2010
Rep. Arcuri, Michael A. [D-NY-24]	D · NY		Apr 15, 2010
Rep. Schauer, Mark H. [D-MI-7]	D · MI		Apr 15, 2010
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2010
Rep. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Jun 24, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 23, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

IDEA Fairness Restoration Act - Amends the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to include expert witness fees, including the reasonable costs of any test or evaluation necessary for the preparation of the parent or guardian's case in the action or proceeding, within the definition of "attorneys' fees" that may be awarded to the prevailing party in a civil action brought under such Act.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 23, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Jun 4, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 4, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1310-1311)
- **Jun 4, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.