

HR 3053

To amend the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to repeal the denial to drug felons of eligibility for benefits under the program of temporary assistance for needy families.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 25, 2009)

Amends the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to repeal the denial to drug felons of eligibility for benefits under the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 25, 2009:** Introduced in House
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