

HR 3591

Constitution and Citizenship Day Act of 2009

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 16, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Constitution and Citizenship Day Act of 2009 - Amends the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to direct the Secretary of Education to establish a Constitution Day Grant Program awarding competitive grants to local educational agencies and charter schools to commemorate, and enhance educational programs that teach students about, the U.S. Constitution and their state constitution.

Requires such program to occur annually on Constitution Day, September 17, or the following Monday if that day falls on a weekend, and give students the ability to register to vote.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 16, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Sep 17, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 17, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.