

HR 3913

To direct the Mayor of the District of Columbia to establish a District of Columbia National Guard Educational Assistance Program to encourage the enlistment and retention of persons in the District of Columbia National Guard by providing financial assistance to enable members of the National Guard of the District of Columbia to attend undergraduate, vocational, or technical courses.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

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Current Status: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs referred to Subcommittee on Oversight of Gov

Latest Action: Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs referred to Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia. (Jul 26, 2010)

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Sponsor

Name: Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred to	Jul 26, 2010
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Reported by	Mar 24, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 HR 3323	Related bill	Jul 24, 2009: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1933)
111 HR 2333	Related bill	Jun 8, 2009: Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.

(Sec. 1) Amends the District of Columbia Code to direct the Mayor of the District of Columbia, in coordination with the commanding general of the District of Columbia National Guard, to establish a program that allows the Mayor to provide educational assistance to members of the District of Columbia National Guard who have satisfactorily completed their initial active duty service and agree to serve for at least six years.

Requires such assistance to be used by members for expenses incurred in pursuing their first undergraduate, master's, vocational, or technical degree or certification at an approved institution of higher education.

Limits such assistance to no more than \$400 per credit hour and no more than \$6,000 per year for each eligible member of the District of Columbia National Guard.

Prohibits members who are receiving a Reserve Officer Training Corps scholarship from receiving this Act's assistance; though permits recipients of this Act's assistance to receive educational assistance under other programs.

Authorizes appropriations.

Allows the Mayor to accept donations of services or property for the program.

(Sec. 2) Provides that the budgetary effects of this Act, for the purpose of complying with the Statutory Pay-As-You Go Act of 2010, shall be determined by reference to the latest statement titled "Budgetary Effects of PAYGO Legislation" for this Act, submitted by the Chairman of the House Budget Committee, provided that such statement has been submitted before vote on passage.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 26, 2010:** Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs referred to Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia.
- **Jun 29, 2010:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Jun 28, 2010:** Ms. Norton moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jun 28, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4883-4885)
- **Jun 28, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 3913.
- **Jun 28, 2010:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4883-4884)
- **Jun 28, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4883-4884)
- **Jun 28, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 14, 2010:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 14, 2010:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 24, 2010:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 24, 2010:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by Voice Vote .
- **Feb 12, 2010:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Post Office, and the District of Columbia.
- **Oct 22, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Oct 22, 2009:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2612-2613)
- **Oct 22, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.