

## HR 3826

To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to extend the reduced interest rate for Federal Direct Stafford Loans.

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training. (Mar 29, 2012)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 29, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
<a href="#">112 HR 4816</a>	Related bill	<b>Sep 26, 2012:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
<a href="#">112 HR 5812</a>	Related bill	<b>Sep 26, 2012:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
<a href="#">112 S 2343</a>	Related bill	<b>May 24, 2012:</b> Returned to the Calendar. Calendar No. 365.
<a href="#">112 HR 4628</a>	Related bill	<b>May 8, 2012:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 393.
<a href="#">112 S 2834</a>	Related bill	<b>May 7, 2012:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
<a href="#">112 S 2366</a>	Related bill	<b>Apr 25, 2012:</b> Introduced in the Senate. Read twice. Ordered Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 370.
<a href="#">112 S 2051</a>	Identical bill	<b>Jan 31, 2012:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

## Summary (as of Jan 25, 2012)

Amends title IV (Student Assistance) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to make the 3.4% interest rate on Direct Stafford loans first disbursed to undergraduate students between July 1, 2011, and July 1, 2012, applicable to Direct Stafford loans first disbursed to undergraduate students on or after July 1, 2012.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 29, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
- **Jan 25, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 25, 2012:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.