

HR 532

Fairness for Texas Schools Act of 2011

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Policy Area: Education

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (22 total)

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Rep. Brady, Kevin [R-TX-8]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
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Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
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Rep. Granger, Kay [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Hall, Ralph M. [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Hensarling, Jeb [R-TX-5]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Johnson, Sam [R-TX-3]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Merchant, Kenny [R-TX-24]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Neugebauer, Randy [R-TX-19]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Paul, Ron [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Sessions, Pete [R-TX-32]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011
Rep. Thornberry, Mac [R-TX-13]	R · TX		Feb 8, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 4, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 151	Identical bill	Jan 25, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Feb 8, 2011)

Fairness for Texas Schools Act of 2011 - Repeals the requirement that the Secretary of Education deny Texas and its local educational agencies (LEAs) funds from the Education Jobs Fund until the state assures the Secretary that: (1) funds used to support elementary and secondary education shall be distributed based on the LEAs' relative shares of school improvement funds for the most recent fiscal year for which data are available; (2) such funds will not be used to supplant state formula funding that is distributed like school improvement funds; and (3) state funding for elementary and secondary education, as a percentage of the state's total revenue, will not be reduced through FY2013.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 4, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Feb 8, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 8, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.