

HR 5836

Veterans and Service Members Educational Benefits Safety Act

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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. (Sep 26, 2012)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 10, 2012
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 26, 2012
Veterans' Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 1, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary

(as of May 18, 2012)

Veterans and Service Members Educational Benefits Safety Act - Makes institutions of higher education that have a cohort default rate equal to or greater than 30% for each of the three most recent fiscal years ineligible to participate in military and veterans' educational assistance programs. (The cohort default rate represents the percentage of a school's current and former students who begin to repay Federal Family Education Loans [FFELs] in a fiscal year, but default on those loans before the end of the second fiscal year following the fiscal year they began repaying them.)

Amends title IV (Student Assistance) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require proprietary institutions of higher education to derive not less than 10% of their revenue from sources other than veterans' education benefits or, as under current law, title IV, or become ineligible for title IV funding (90/10 rule).

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 26, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
- **Jul 10, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Military Personnel.
- **Jun 1, 2012:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.
- **May 18, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **May 18, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, and Veterans' Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.