

## S 745

A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to protect certain veterans who would otherwise be subject to a reduction in educational assistance benefits, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Armed Forces and National Security

**Introduced:** Apr 6, 2011

**Current Status:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 105.

**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 105. (Jul 19, 2011)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/112th-congress/senate-bill/745>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** NY • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Apr 14, 2011
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		May 3, 2011
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jul 13, 2011
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Jul 20, 2011
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 22, 2011

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Veterans' Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jul 19, 2011

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 1383	Related bill	Aug 3, 2011: Became Public Law No: 112-26.

Makes the amount payable for programs of education at nonpublic institutions of higher education pursued by individuals enrolled in the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) post-9/11 educational assistance program (post-9/11 program) during the period beginning on August 1, 2011, and ending on December 31, 2014, the lesser of: (1) the established charges for that program; (2) the established charges payable under a VA maximum payments table published on October 27, 2010; or (3) the amount for the previous academic year, increased by the authorized annual percentage increase.

Modifies guaranteed home loan fees for certain veterans.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 19, 2011:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Reported by Senator Murray with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. Without written report.
- **Jul 19, 2011:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 105.
- **Jun 29, 2011:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Jun 8, 2011:** Committee on Veterans' Affairs. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 112-116.
- **Apr 6, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 6, 2011:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.