

S 1383

Pathways Back to Work Act of 2013

Congress: 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

Introduced: Jul 29, 2013

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Jul 29, 2013)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jul 29, 2013
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Jul 29, 2013
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jan 9, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 29, 2013

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HR 5489	Related bill	Nov 17, 2014: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
113 HR 2821	Related bill	Sep 18, 2014: Motion to Discharge Committee filed by Ms. Wilson (FL). Petition No: 113-12. (Discharge petition text with signatures.)
113 S 2832	Related bill	Sep 16, 2014: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
113 HR 2721	Related bill	Sep 13, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
113 HR 2770	Related bill	Sep 13, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on Workforce Protections.
113 HR 2381	Related bill	Jul 8, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training.
113 S 1170	Related bill	Jun 13, 2013: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary (as of Jul 29, 2013)

Pathways Back to Work Act of 2013 - Establishes in the Treasury the Pathways Back to Work Fund, with an initial appropriation of \$12.5 billion.

Requires the Secretary of Labor to make certain Fund allocations to states with approved plans, qualifying outlying areas (U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the Republic of Palau), and Native American program grantees to provide: (1) subsidized employment to unemployed, low-income adults; and (2) summer and year-round employment opportunities to low-income youth.

Requires the Secretary to award competitive grants to local entities for work-based training and other work-related and educational strategies and activities of demonstrated effectiveness to provide unemployed, low-income adults and low-income youths with skills that will lead to employment.

Subjects activities funded under this Act to federal labor standards and nondiscrimination protections.

Actions Timeline

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