

HR 4713

JOE Act

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** AR • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 21, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 21, 2014)

Jumpstarting Occupational-learning and Entrepreneurship Act or the JOE Act - Amends the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to exempt school-based enterprises that are managed as part of a school's curriculum from the nutrition standards for foods sold in schools that are not foods provided under the school lunch and breakfast programs.

Defines a "school-based enterprise" as an entrepreneurial operation in a school setting that:

- provides goods or services to meet the needs of the market;
- is managed and operated by students as a hands-on learning laboratory;
- provides realistic and practical learning experiences that reinforce classroom instruction;
- may sell to consumers through a permanent location, a mobile kiosk, or through Internet marketing; and
- may sell products such as food and beverage items or provide services such as event catering.

Actions Timeline

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