

HR 532

Private Student Loan Bankruptcy Fairness Act of 2013

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Finance and Financial Sector

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Committee Activity

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| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred to | Feb 28, 2013 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 6, 2013)

Private Student Loan Bankruptcy Fairness Act of 2013 - Amends the federal bankruptcy code to limit the non-dischargeability, except in cases of undue hardship, of educational loans to those made, insured, or guaranteed by a governmental unit, or made under any program funded by a governmental unit or any program for which substantially all of the funds are provided by a nonprofit institution (thus allowing the discharge of private educational loan indebtedness without the need to show an undue hardship).

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform, Commercial And Antitrust Law.
- **Feb 6, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 6, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.