

## HRES 214

Supporting efforts to ensure that students have access to debt-free higher education.

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**Policy Area:** Education

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 21, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 SRES 143	Identical bill	<b>Apr 21, 2015:</b> Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2306)

Summary (as of Apr 21, 2015)

Expresses support for efforts to:

- ensure that all students have access to debt-free higher education upon graduation from public institutions of higher education;
- provide support to states to make increased investments in higher education that will result in lower tuition and costs for students;
- increase financial aid to help students afford attending college without taking on debt;
- encourage innovation by states and institutions of higher education to cut costs for students and make college more affordable by increasing efficiency and enabling speedy and less-costly degree completion; and
- reduce the burden of existing student loan debt.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 21, 2015:** Introduced in House
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