

HR 78

New Chance for a New Start in Life Act of 2015

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Labor and Employment

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training. (Apr 29, 2015)

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Sponsor

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 6, 2015)

New Chance for a New Start in Life Act of 2015

Directs the Secretary of Labor to make grants to state and local governments and Indian tribes to carry out employment training programs to assist long-term unemployed persons obtain the skills and training to re-enter the workforce and fill jobs in sectors of the economy projected to have the highest rates of demand during the period 2014 through 2024.

Prescribes certain grant condition and use requirements.

Declares that receiving services or compensation under this Act shall not cause any reduction in the amount of unemployment compensation that an individual is otherwise due.

## Actions Timeline

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