

## HR 1706

To authorize the Secretary of Education to provide grants for education programs on the history of the treatment of Italian Americans during World War II.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

**Introduced:** Mar 23, 2017

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Mar 23, 2017)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 23, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Mar 23, 2017)

This bill authorizes the Department of Education to provide grants for public awareness education programs on the history of the treatment of Italian Americans during World War II.

In awarding such grants, priority shall be given to Italian American historical and cultural organizations.

### Actions Timeline

- **Mar 23, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 23, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

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