

HR 2270

PLUS Loan Disability Forgiveness Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]

Party: Democratic • **State:** RI • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Krishnamoorthi, Raja [D-IL-8]	D · IL		May 1, 2017
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		May 1, 2017
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-5]	R · PA		May 1, 2017
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Apr 17, 2018
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Aug 21, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6543	Related bill	Jul 26, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

PLUS Loan Disability Forgiveness Act

This bill amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require the Department of Education to forgive federal student loans under the Federal Family Education Loan Program for a parent of a student who: (1) becomes permanently and totally disabled, or (2) is unable to engage in substantial gainful activity by reason of a medically determinable physical or mental impairment that can be expected to result in death or that has lasted (or is expected to last) for a continuous period of no less than 60 months.

Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **May 1, 2017:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H2990)
- **May 1, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.