

SJRES 26

A joint resolution providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Education relating to teacher preparation issues.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Education

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 2, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HJRES 58	Identical bill	Mar 27, 2017: Became Public Law No: 115-14.

Summary (as of Mar 2, 2017)

This joint resolution nullifies the "Teacher Preparation Issues" rule finalized by the Department of Education on October 31, 2016. The rule implements requirements related to assessing the quality of teacher preparation programs under title II (Teacher Quality Enhancement) of the Higher Education Act of 1965.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 2, 2017:** Introduced in Senate
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