

HR 3774

Reverse Transfer Efficiency Act of 2017

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]	R · GA		Sep 14, 2017
Rep. Garrett, Thomas A., Jr. [R-VA-5]	R · VA		Sep 14, 2017
Rep. Perlmutter, Ed [D-CO-7]	D · CO		Sep 14, 2017
Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Sep 14, 2017
Rep. Mitchell, Paul [R-MI-10]	R · MI		Sep 26, 2017
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Oct 3, 2017
Rep. Bucshon, Larry [R-IN-8]	R · IN		Oct 12, 2017
Rep. Love, Mia B. [R-UT-4]	R · UT		May 3, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 14, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6543	Related bill	Jul 26, 2018: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.
115 S 3066	Related bill	Jun 14, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
115 S 2986	Related bill	Jun 4, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
115 HR 4508	Related bill	Feb 8, 2018: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 413.

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This bill amends the General Education Provisions Act to allow the release of a transfer student's educational records from an institution of postsecondary education where a student earned credit for coursework to an institution of postsecondary education where the student was previously enrolled in order to apply the student's coursework and credits toward completion of a recognized postsecondary credential, such as an associate's degree. (In the case of a student who does not complete a bachelor's degree after transferring to a four-year institution from a two-year institution, the credits earned at the four-year institution may be applied towards a recognized postsecondary credential at the two-year institution.) Specifically, the bill allows the Department of Education to provide funding to an institution of postsecondary education that releases a student's records of postsecondary coursework and credits without the consent of the student or the student's parents if the student provides written consent prior to receiving the credential.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 14, 2017:** Introduced in House
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