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Year-Round Pell Grant Restoration Act

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Franken, Al [D-MN]	D · MN		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 7, 2017
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Apr 24, 2017
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Apr 24, 2017
Sen. McCaskill, Claire [D-MO]	D · MO		Apr 27, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 2084	Identical bill	Apr 8, 2017: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

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This bill amends title IV (Student Assistance) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to make qualified students eligible to receive more than one Pell Grant in an award year, thus allowing year-round Pell Grants. If a student receives more than one Pell Grant in an award year, the total amount of the Pell Grants awarded to the student may exceed the maximum Federal Pell Grant available for an award year.

Actions Timeline

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