

S 1414

Student Borrower Bankruptcy Relief Act of 2019

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Finance and Financial Sector

Introduced: May 9, 2019

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (May 9, 2019)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/1414>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

Party: Democratic • **State:** IL • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (21 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		May 9, 2019
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		May 9, 2019
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		May 9, 2019
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		May 9, 2019
Sen. Hassan, Margaret Wood [D-NH]	D · NH		May 9, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 9, 2019
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		May 9, 2019
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		May 9, 2019
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 9, 2019
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		May 9, 2019
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		May 9, 2019
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		May 9, 2019
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		May 9, 2019
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		May 9, 2019
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		May 9, 2019
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		May 9, 2019
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		May 20, 2019
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 5, 2019
Sen. Cortez Masto, Catherine [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 18, 2019
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Jun 28, 2019
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Oct 23, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 9, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Finance and Financial Sector

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 2648	Identical bill	Sep 29, 2020: Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 19 - 5.
116 HR 770	Related bill	Mar 5, 2019: Referred to the Subcommittee on Antitrust, Commercial, and Administrative Law.

Summary (as of May 9, 2019)

Student Borrower Bankruptcy Relief Act of 2019

This bill permits a borrower to discharge in bankruptcy a nonprofit, government, or private student loan, or an obligation to repay an educational benefit, scholarship, or stipend.

Actions Timeline

- **May 9, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 9, 2019:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.