

S 2498

Pell Grant Restoration Act of 2019

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Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Sep 18, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Sep 18, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Sep 18, 2019
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Sep 18, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 18, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 4674	Related bill	Dec 28, 2020: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 583.
116 HR 4298	Related bill	Sep 12, 2019: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

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This bill restores a student's Pell Grant eligibility for any period of time during which the student qualified for, or would have qualified for, federal student loan forgiveness due to school closure, assertion of a defense against repayment, or institutional fraud or misconduct.

Specifically, this bill provides that Pell Grants received by a student during that period of time do not count toward the student's lifetime Pell Grant eligibility period (currently 12 full-time semesters).

Actions Timeline

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