

HR 2747

Tyler Clementi Higher Education Anti-Harassment Act of 2019

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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| Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6] | D · NY | | May 15, 2019 |
| Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4] | D · WI | | May 15, 2019 |
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| Rep. Rice, Kathleen M. [D-NY-4] | D · NY | | May 15, 2019 |
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| Rep. Schiff, Adam B. [D-CA-28] | D · CA | | May 15, 2019 |

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| Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1] | D · ME | | May 17, 2019 |
| Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8] | D · NJ | | May 17, 2019 |
| Rep. Garcia, Jesus G. "Chuy" [D-IL-4] | D · IL | | May 21, 2019 |
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| Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11] | D · MI | | May 22, 2019 |
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| Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8] | D · MD | | May 23, 2019 |
| Rep. Wexton, Jennifer [D-VA-10] | D · VA | | May 23, 2019 |
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| Rep. Yarmuth, John A. [D-KY-3] | D · KY | | Jun 24, 2019 |
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| Rep. Kildee, Daniel T. [D-MI-5] | D · MI | | Sep 11, 2019 |
| Rep. Ruppertsberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2] | D · MD | | Oct 4, 2019 |
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| Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-18] | D · PA | | Oct 31, 2019 |
| Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14] | D · CA | | Oct 31, 2019 |
| Rep. Haaland, Debra A. [D-NM-1] | D · NM | | Nov 8, 2019 |
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| Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13] | D · CA | | Nov 12, 2019 |
| Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7] | D · NY | | Nov 12, 2019 |
| Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6] | D · CA | | Nov 13, 2019 |
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| Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41] | D · CA | | Nov 14, 2019 |

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| Rep. Gallego, Ruben [D-AZ-7] | D · AZ | | Feb 18, 2020 |
| Rep. Murphy, Stephanie N. [D-FL-7] | D · FL | | Feb 18, 2020 |
| Rep. Pressley, Ayanna [D-MA-7] | D · MA | | Feb 18, 2020 |
| Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2] | D · IL | | Feb 26, 2020 |
| Rep. Aguilar, Pete [D-CA-31] | D · CA | | Apr 7, 2020 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Education and Workforce Committee | House | Referred To | May 15, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 116 S 1492 | Identical bill | May 15, 2019: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. |

Summary (as of May 15, 2019)

Tyler Clementi Higher Education Anti-Harassment Act of 2019

This bill addresses harassment at institutions of higher education (IHEs). Harassment includes certain conduct undertaken through technological means that limits a student's ability to benefit from the IHE's programs, or creates a hostile or abusive educational environment at the school.

Specifically, the bill requires each IHE to include in its annual security report a statement of policy regarding harassment on the basis of a student's actual or perceived race, color, national origin, sex (including sexual orientation, gender identity, pregnancy, childbirth, a medical condition related to pregnancy or childbirth, and a sex stereotype), disability, or religion.

In addition, the Department of Education may award grants to IHEs to initiate, expand, or improve programs to (1) prevent the harassment of students; (2) provide counseling or redress services to students who have been harassed or accused of subjecting other students to harassment; or (3) educate and train students, faculty, or staff to prevent harassment or address harassment if it occurs.

Actions Timeline

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