

HR 4089

Second Chance for Students Act

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 26, 2019
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jul 26, 2019
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jul 26, 2019
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jul 26, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 26, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill modifies federal student aid eligibility for a student who is convicted of a drug offense involving marijuana possession.

Under current law, a drug offense conviction involving the sale or possession of a controlled substance triggers a suspension of federal student aid eligibility for a specified period of time. This bill allows a student who is convicted of a drug offense involving marijuana possession, without the intent to distribute, to resume or retain federal student aid eligibility while completing a drug rehabilitation program.

Actions Timeline

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