

## HR 655

### Student Loan Repayment Assistance Act of 2019

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Taxation

**Introduced:** Jan 17, 2019

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support. (Mar 1, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/655>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]

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

### Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Davids, Sharice [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Apr 8, 2019
Rep. Kuster, Ann M. [D-NH-2]	D · NH		Apr 8, 2019
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Apr 8, 2019
Rep. Bass, Karen [D-CA-37]	D · CA		May 20, 2019
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jun 10, 2019
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jun 13, 2019
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Jun 13, 2019
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jun 18, 2019
Rep. Rouda, Harley [D-CA-48]	D · CA		Jul 9, 2019
Rep. Carson, Andre [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Aug 2, 2019
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Sep 17, 2019
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Oct 4, 2019
Rep. Luria, Elaine G. [D-VA-2]	D · VA		Oct 21, 2019
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Nov 20, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 1, 2019

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Taxation

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jan 17, 2019)

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### Student Loan Repayment Assistance Act of 2019

This bill allows a business-related tax credit for an employer's payments for employees under a student loan repayment program. The credit is equal to 10% of the amounts that an employer pays on behalf of any employee under a program and is refundable for certain small businesses and tax-exempt organizations. The payments for an employee may not exceed \$500 per month.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 1, 2019:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support.
- **Jan 28, 2019:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H1234)
- **Jan 17, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 17, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.