

HR 7758

Assistance for Rural Health, Safety and Educational Facilities Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Agriculture and Food

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Scott, Austin [R-GA-8]

Party: Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Hagedorn, Jim [R-MN-1]	R · MN		Jul 23, 2020
Rep. Thompson, Glenn [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Aug 7, 2020
Rep. Conaway, K. Michael [R-TX-11]	R · TX		Aug 18, 2020
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Sep 30, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 3, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Assistance for Rural Health, Safety and Educational Facilities Act

This bill authorizes and provides funding for Department of Agriculture (USDA) assistance to rural hospital, health, public safety, and education facilities affected by the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) public health emergency.

USDA may (1) provide grants to such entities; (2) provide a zero or 1% interest loan, loan forgiveness, or loan modifications to such entities; and (3) reduce or eliminate any fee that would otherwise be required to be paid with respect to a loan guarantee provided to such entities.

Such assistance may be provided to (1) ensure that such entities have the necessary resources to maintain public health, safety, or order; (2) address financial hardships of such entities due to COVID-19; and (3) promote the financial stability of such entities.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 3, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commodity Exchanges, Energy, and Credit.
- **Jul 23, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 23, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.