

## HR 8820

PASS Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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Rep. Houlahan, Chrissy [D-PA-6]	D · PA		Nov 24, 2020
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Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Nov 24, 2020
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Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]	D · NC		Nov 24, 2020
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Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Schrier, Kim [D-WA-8]	D · WA		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Nov 24, 2020
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Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Stevens, Haley M. [D-MI-11]	D · MI		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Trahan, Lori [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Trone, David J. [D-MD-6]	D · MD		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Nov 24, 2020
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Dec 4, 2020
Rep. Lee, Susie [D-NV-3]	D · NV		Dec 4, 2020
Rep. Quigley, Mike [D-IL-5]	D · IL		Dec 4, 2020

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 24, 2020

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
<a href="#">116 S 4800</a>	Related bill	<b>Nov 9, 2020:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 581.
<a href="#">116 HR 925</a>	Related bill	<b>Oct 1, 2020:</b> Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
<a href="#">116 HR 8406</a>	Related bill	<b>Sep 29, 2020:</b> Referred to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
<a href="#">116 HR 6800</a>	Related bill	<b>Jul 23, 2020:</b> Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 116-517.

## Summary (as of Nov 24, 2020)

### Pandemic Accommodation to Support Students Act or the PASS Act

This bill directs the Department of Education (ED) to extend certain temporary relief related to federal student loans.

Specifically, the bill extends to September 30, 2021, the suspension of payments and interest due on Federal Direct Loans and Federal Family Education Loans that are held by ED.

Further, ED must carry out a program, beginning on August 1, 2021, to provide at least six notices to borrowers that normal payment obligations will resume.

## Actions Timeline

- **Nov 24, 2020:** Introduced in House
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