

HR 2670

The Civilian Climate Corps for Jobs and Justice Act

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Chamber: House

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Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Mar 30, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 20, 2021
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 20, 2021

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 3941	Related bill	Jun 16, 2021: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.
117 S 2075	Related bill	Jun 16, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.
117 S 1244	Identical bill	Apr 20, 2021: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Apr 20, 2021)

Civilian Climate Corps for Jobs and Justice Act

This bill establishes a Civilian Climate Corps Program and generally revises benefits provided to national service program participants.

The bill establishes a Civilian Climate Corps to operate (1) a national climate service program; and (2) a national climate service grant program to help communities respond to climate change and transition to a clean economy, including through reducing carbon emissions.

The bill also provides for allowances for participants in certain national service programs, including the Volunteers in Service to America (VISTA) program and the National Civilian Community Corps.

The bill expands the exclusion from gross income, for income tax purposes, to exclude amounts received as educational awards or benefits and income attributable to discharges of student loan debt under the National and Community Service Act of 1990.

Actions Timeline

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