

S 4089

Veterans Rapid Retraining Assistance Program Restoration and Recovery Act of 2022

Congress: 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Armed Forces and National Security

Introduced: Apr 26, 2022

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Armed Forces and National Security

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 7243	Related bill	May 10, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity.

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This bill prohibits the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) from charging any entitlement to retraining assistance under the Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program in situations where an individual was unable to complete a course or program as a result of the closure of an educational institution or the disapproval of a program by the state approving agency or the VA. The period for which retraining assistance is not charged must be equal to the full amount of retraining assistance provided for enrollment in the program of education.

In the event of a closure or disapproval, the educational institution must not receive any further payments under the program, and any payment already made must be considered an overpayment and constitute a liability of the institution to the United States.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 7, 2022:** Signed by President.
- **Jun 7, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-138.
- **Jun 6, 2022:** Presented to President.
- **May 18, 2022:** Mr. Takano moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **May 18, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5110-5111)
- **May 18, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 4089.
- **May 18, 2022:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **May 18, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5169-5170)
- **May 18, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 401 - 17 (Roll no. 225).
- **May 18, 2022:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 401 - 17 (Roll no. 225). (text: CR H5110)
- **May 18, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Received in the House.
- **Apr 27, 2022:** Held at the desk.
- **Apr 26, 2022:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 26, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Introduced in the Senate, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed without amendment by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 26, 2022:** Introduced in the Senate, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed without amendment by Voice Vote. (consideration: CR S2170; text: CR S2170)