

HR 1211

Student Loan Accountability Act

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

Introduced: Feb 27, 2023

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Mar 10, 2023)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/1211>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]

Party: Republican • State: TN • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

| Committee                         | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Education and Workforce Committee | House   | Referred To | Feb 27, 2023 |
| Energy and Commerce Committee     | House   | Referred to | Mar 10, 2023 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship | Last Action   |
|-------------|--------------|---|
| 118 S 4815  | Related bill | Jul 25, 2024: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. |
| 118 HR 1622 | Related bill | Mar 24, 2023: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.   |

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2023)

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This bill generally prohibits the Departments of Education, Justice, or the Treasury from taking any action to cancel or forgive the outstanding balances, or portion of balances, of covered loans. *Covered loans* refer to Federal Family Education Loans, Federal Direct Loans, Federal Perkins Loans, and loans under the Health Education Assistance Loan Program.

The prohibition does not apply to targeted federal student loan forgiveness, cancellation, or repayment programs that are in effect by final regulation on March 12, 2020, and carried out under the Higher Education Act of 1965.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 10, 2023:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 27, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.