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College Transparency Act

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Sen. Warnock, Raphael G. [D-GA]	D · GA		Dec 3, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 27, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HR 6951	Related bill	Nov 18, 2024: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 624.
118 S 1972	Related bill	Jun 14, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
118 HR 2957	Identical bill	Apr 27, 2023: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

Summary (as of Apr 27, 2023)

College Transparency Act

This bill requires the National Center for Education Statistics to establish a secure and privacy-protected data system that contains information about postsecondary students.

Specifically, the data system must

- evaluate student enrollment patterns, progression, completion, and postcollegiate outcomes, and higher education costs and financial aid;
- provide complete and customizable information for students and families making decisions about postsecondary education;
- reduce the requirements for reporting by institutions of higher education; and
- periodically match with other federal systems of data.

The bill also establishes a postsecondary student data system advisory committee.

Actions Timeline

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