

S 3787

Right Start Child Care and Education Act of 2024

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: Feb 8, 2024

Current Status: Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held.

Latest Action: Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held. (Apr 10, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]

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

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Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2024
Sen. King, Angus S., Jr. [I-ME]	I · ME		Feb 8, 2024
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 8, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 8, 2024
Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee	Senate	Hearings By (full committee)	Apr 10, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill increases or allows new child care tax credits and increases the tax exclusion for employer-provided dependent care assistance.

Specifically, the bill doubles the rate and the maximum allowable amount of the employer-provided child care credit. It also allows an additional increase for certain small businesses.

The bill allows a new three-year tax credit for individuals who hold child care-related educational degrees and who work in licensed child care facilities.

The bill increases the tax exclusion for employer-provided dependent care assistance.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 10, 2024:** Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship. Hearings held.
- **Feb 8, 2024:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 8, 2024:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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