

HR 5646

Stop Campus Hazing Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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Rep. Balderson, Troy [R-OH-12]	R · OH		Nov 28, 2023
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Rep. Dean, Madeleine [D-PA-4]	D · PA		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Kean, Thomas H. [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Kim, Andy [D-NJ-3]	D · NJ		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Morelle, Joseph D. [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Feb 6, 2024
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Feb 6, 2024
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Rep. Hinson, Ashley [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Mar 7, 2024
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Mar 22, 2024
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank" [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Apr 12, 2024

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Rep. Landsman, Greg [D-OH-1]	D · OH		Apr 12, 2024
Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-36]	D · CA		Apr 12, 2024
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Markup By	Sep 11, 2024

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 S 2901	Identical bill	Sep 21, 2023: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Stop Campus Hazing Act

This act requires institutions of higher education (IHEs) that participate in federal student aid programs to report hazing incidents. It also renames the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act as the Jeanne Clery Campus Safety Act.

Specifically, the act requires each IHE to disclose hazing incidents that were reported to campus security authorities or local police agencies in its annual security report. The act defines the term *hazing* to mean any intentional, knowing, or reckless act committed by a person (whether individually or in concert with other persons) against another person or persons regardless of the willingness of such other person or persons to participate, that (1) is committed in the course of an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in, a student organization (e.g., a club, athletic team, fraternity, or sorority); and (2) causes or creates a risk, above the reasonable risk encountered in the course of participation in the IHE or the organization, of physical or psychological injury.

Additionally, each IHE must include in its annual security report (1) a statement of current policies relating to hazing, how to report hazing incidents, the process used to investigate hazing incidents, and information on applicable laws on hazing; and (2) a statement of policy regarding prevention and awareness programs relating to hazing that includes a description of prevention programs.

Further, an IHE must develop a campus hazing transparency report that summarizes findings concerning any student organization found to be in violation of the IHE's standards of conduct relating to hazing. An IHE is not required to develop or update this report unless the IHE has a finding of a hazing violation.

The act does not apply to foreign IHEs.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 23, 2024:** Presented to President.
- **Dec 23, 2024:** Signed by President.
- **Dec 23, 2024:** Became Public Law No: 118-173.
- **Dec 12, 2024:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Dec 11, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 11, 2024:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6976)
- **Sep 25, 2024:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Sep 24, 2024:** Mr. Owens moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Sep 24, 2024:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5707-5713)
- **Sep 24, 2024:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 5646.
- **Sep 24, 2024:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5707-5708)
- **Sep 24, 2024:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5707-5708)
- **Sep 24, 2024:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 11, 2024:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held
- **Sep 11, 2024:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute by the Yeas and Nays: 28 - 2.
- **Sep 21, 2023:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 21, 2023:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.