

H.R. 5646, Stop Campus Hazing Act

As ordered reported by the House Committee on Education and the Workforce on September 11, 2024

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2024	2024-2029	2024-2034
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	*	not estimated
Increases <i>net direct spending</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2035?	No	Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply? No	
Increases <i>on-budget deficits</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2035?	No	Mandate Effects	
		Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No
* = between zero and \$500,000.			

H.R. 5646 would require institutions of higher education that receive federal student aid under title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to collect and publish information on hazing incidents and their institutional policies and programs to prevent hazing.

Institutions of higher education are already required to meet similar reporting requirements, and CBO expects that they would comply with these new requirements. As a result, CBO estimates enacting the bill would have no effect on federal spending for student aid.

Based on the costs of similar activities, CBO estimates that the costs to the Department of Education to implement H.R. 5646 would be insignificant; any related spending would be subject to the availability of appropriated funds.

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