

114TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 562

To improve transfer of earned school credits for foster youth.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 27, 2015

Mr. GRAYSON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Education and the Workforce

A BILL

To improve transfer of earned school credits for foster youth.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Improving Education
5 for Foster Youth Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. IMPROVED CREDIT TRANSFER FOR CHILDREN IN**
7 **FOSTER CARE.**

8 Subpart 2 of part E of title IX (20 U.S.C. 7901 et
9 seq.) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of
10 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6301 et seq.) is amended by adding at
11 the end the following:

1 **“SEC. 9537. CREDIT TRANSFER OF CHILDREN IN FOSTER**
2 **CARE.**

3 “Each State that receives assistance under this Act
4 shall implement policies ensuring that a child in foster
5 care who is changing schools can transfer school credits
6 and receive partial credits for coursework satisfactorily
7 completed while attending a prior school or educational
8 program.”.

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