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H. RES. 1064

Honoring the work done by the 12th Woman.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. POE of Texas submitted the following resolution; which was referred to
the Committee on Education and the Workforce

RESOLUTION

Honoring the work done by the 12th Woman.

Whereas institutions of higher education are encouraged to inform all victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking, including in a physical written format—

(1) of the victim's rights under Federal and State law;

(2) of the victim's rights and options pursuant to the policy that the institution of higher education has developed pursuant to clauses (ii) through (vii) of section 485(f)(8)(B) of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Statistics Act (20 U.S.C. 1092(f));

(3) of the victim's reporting options, including the option to notify a higher education responsible employee,

the option to notify local law enforcement, and any other reporting options;

(4) a description of the process of investigation and any disciplinary proceeding of the institution that may follow notification of a higher education responsible employee;

(5) a description of the process of investigation and adjudication of the criminal justice system that may follow notification of law enforcement;

(6) a description of the jurisdiction, scope, and possible sanctions of the student disciplinary process of the institution of higher education and of the criminal justice process;

(7) that the student disciplinary process of the institution of higher education is not equivalent to, and should not be considered a substitute for, the criminal justice process; and

(8) any limitations on the ability of the sexual assault response coordinator to provide privacy or confidentiality to the victim under the policies of the institution of higher education, Federal law, or State law: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the House encourages—

2 (1) institutions of higher education to list on
3 their website—

4 (A) the name and contact information for
5 the sexual assault response coordinator;

6 (B) reporting options, including confidential
7 options, for victims of domestic violence,
8 dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking;

1 (C) the process of investigation and dis-
2 ciplinary proceedings of the institution;

3 (D) the process of investigation and adju-
4 dication of the criminal justice system;

5 (E) potential reasonable accommodations
6 that the institution may provide to a victim;

7 (F) the telephone number and website ad-
8 dress for a local, State, or national hotline pro-
9 viding information to domestic violence, dating
10 violence, sexual assault, and stalking victims
11 (which shall be clearly communicated on the
12 website and shall be updated on a timely basis);
13 and

14 (G) the name and location of the nearest
15 medical facility where an individual may have a
16 medical forensic examination administered by a
17 trained sexual assault forensic nurse, including
18 information on transportation options and
19 available reimbursement for a visit to such fa-
20 cility; and

21 (2) institutions of higher education to enter into
22 memoranda of understanding with all applicable
23 local law enforcement agencies to clearly delineate
24 responsibilities and share information so that when
25 a crime occurs, both campus authorities and local

- 1 authorities can focus on solving the crime rather
- 2 than debating jurisdiction.

