LAW SUMMARY

This bill extends appropriations through June 30, 2019, for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program grants to states and related assistance grants to U.S. territories such as Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. TANF helps Americans living in poverty to afford necessities like food, rent, and diapers. It also helps parents and guardians find jobs.

SPONSORS AND COSPONSORS

House Bill Sponsor
Rep. Richard E. Neal (D-MA-1)

House cosponsors: 1
GOP 1
Dem 0

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT TO NAPE?

NAPE is a consortium of state and local agencies, corporations, and national organizations committed to the advancement of equity and diversity in classrooms and workplaces. More specifically, NAPE strives to provide leadership in the following areas: Advocating on behalf of key equity issues, particularly regarding gender and special populations, in education; providing national professional development; increasing public awareness materials for equity in education, and collaborating with organizations that have similar missions.

CURRENT STATUS

Introduced in House
Passed committee
Passed House
Differences Resolved
Signed into law 1/24/2019

Introduced in Senate
Passed committee
Passed Senate

Sources: Congress.gov