

118TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 8960

To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to allow participation in certain Fulbright programs to qualify for the repayment plan for public service employees, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 9, 2024

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

A BILL

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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. REPAYMENT PLAN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE EM-**
4 **PLOYEES.**

5 Section 455(m) of the Higher Education Act of 1965
6 (20 U.S.C. 1087e(m)) is amended by adding at the end
7 the following:

1 “(5) FULBRIGHT ELIGIBILITY.—For purposes
2 of loan cancellation under this subsection, participa-
3 tion in a Fulbright Teacher Exchange Program or
4 the Fulbright English Teaching Assistant Program
5 shall be treated as employment in a public service
6 job.”.

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