

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2009**  
**Substitute for H.B. No. 5842**

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**Introducer(s):**

Human Services Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING FOSTER PLACEMENT AND EDUCATION.

**Statement of Purpose:** To improve educational outcomes for youth committed to the Department of Children and Families by permitting them to attend their schools of origin while in foster care.

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01/23/09 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Human Services Committee  
01/27/09 RESERVED FOR SUBJECT MATTER PUBLIC HEARING  
02/06/09 PUBLIC HEARING 02/10  
02/26/09 VOTE TO DRAFT  
03/10/09 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE  
03/11/09 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Human Services Committee  
03/17/09 JOINT FAVORABLE  
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03/27/09 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 04/01/09-5:00 PM  
04/02/09 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
04/02/09 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE  
04/02/09 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 292  
04/02/09 FILE NUMBER 443  
04/07/09 REFERRED BY HOUSE TO COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee

**Co-sponsor(s):**

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