

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 5265

To amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to increase the number of college students who register and vote.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 7, 1994

Mr. GUTIERREZ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

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## 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. INCREASED STUDENT ACCESS TO VOTER REG-**  
4 **ISTRATION.**

5 Paragraph (2) of subsection (a) of section 7 of the  
6 National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (42 U.S.C.  
7 1973gg-5(a)(2)) is amended—

8 (1) by striking out “and” after the semicolon at  
9 the end of subparagraph (A);

1           (2) by striking out the period at the end of sub-  
2           paragraph (B) and inserting in lieu thereof “; and”;  
3           and

4           (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-  
5           paragraph:

6           “(C) all State-funded institutions of higher edu-  
7           cation, through class registration or student fee pay-  
8           ment, or both.”.

9           **SEC. 2. POLLING PLACES ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES.**

10          The National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (42  
11          U.S.C. 1973gg et seq.) is amended by adding at the end  
12          the following new section:

13          **“SEC. 14. POLLING PLACES ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES.**

14          “The chief election officer of each State shall, with  
15          respect to elections for Federal office, provide for a polling  
16          place at a central location on each campus of a State-fund-  
17          ed institution of higher education. At each such polling  
18          place, either absentee ballots or regular ballots shall be  
19          made available to voters who reside in the same county  
20          as the polling place.”.

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