



Cori Bush Amendments in the America COMPETES Act of 2022

#469: Transfer Credits from Alternative Secondary Schooling

Encourages public colleges and universities to facilitate the seamless transfer of course credit earned in the postsecondary STEM pathway directly to out-of-state public institutions and private, nonprofit HBCUs, TCUs, and MSIs. This will help build pathways for students of color in states that do not have an in-state HBCU or TCU to smoothly transfer their STEM course credits to out-of-state HBCUs, TCUs, and MSIs.

#489: Solar Manufacturing

Revises the Solar Component Manufacturing Supply Chain Assistance Program to permit support for facilities that have the ability to manufacture solar components in addition to those that already do. This amendment allows transitioning industrial facilities new opportunities to apply for funding.

#442: Vaccine Diplomacy

Directs the Secretary of State, in coordination with the USAID Administrator, to expand global testing capacity, vaccination distribution, and acquisition of needed medical supplies, including available COVID-19 vaccines, to ensure success in ending the pandemic globally.

#450: Water Pollution Study

Conducts a comprehensive assessment to measure the impact of oil spills, fossil fuel pollution, and plastic ingestion on sea life, including measuring waste flowing to the coast from the Mississippi and other watersheds.

#473: Offshore Wind Targets

Codifies the Biden Administration's commitment to deploy 30 gigawatts of offshore wind energy in the United States by 2030. Writing this commitment into law strengthens our commitment to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

#554: Environmental and Public Health Study on Afghanistan

Studies the impacts of US and multilateral regulations and sanctions in Afghanistan, including the environmental and public health impacts of natural resource exploitation.