



AMENDMENT NO. 7 Calendar No. \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: To prohibit the transfer of the functions of the Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services to other Federal agencies.

**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—119th Cong., 2d Sess.**

**S. 3747**

To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to recognize students who have completed secondary school education in a home school setting as high school graduates, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. Kaine

Viz:

1 At the end, add the following:

2 **SEC. 3. PROHIBITION ON TRANSFERRING THE FUNCTIONS**  
3 **OF THE OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND**  
4 **REHABILITATIVE SERVICES TO OTHER FED-**  
5 **ERAL AGENCIES.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
7 sion of law and subject to subsection (c), the Secretary  
8 of Education shall not procure services from, contract or  
9 carry out an agreement with, obtain any goods or services  
10 from, transfer activities to, or enter into a similar arrange-

1 ment with, another Federal agency relating to the func-  
2 tions of the Department of Education's Office of Special  
3 Education and Rehabilitative Services authorized under  
4 section 207 of the Department of Education Organization  
5 Act (20 U.S.C. 3417).

6 (b) APPLICABILITY OF OTHER LAWS.—Subject to  
7 subsection (c), section 430(a) of the General Education  
8 Provisions Act (20 U.S.C. 1231(a)), section 415 and 419  
9 of the Department of Education Organization Act (20  
10 U.S.C. 3475, 3479), and section 1535 of title 31, United  
11 States Code (commonly known as the “Economy Act”)  
12 shall not apply to section 207 of the Department of Edu-  
13 cation Organization Act (20 U.S.C. 3417).

14 (c) EXCEPTION.—This section shall not apply to—

15 (1) any procurement, contract, agreement (in-  
16 cluding an agreement for obtaining goods or serv-  
17 ices), transfer, or similar arrangement, between the  
18 Department of Education and another Federal agen-  
19 cy that was in effect on February 1, 2025; and

20 (2) the renewal of such a procurement, con-  
21 tract, agreement, transfer, or similar arrangement  
22 described in this subsection.