



AMENDMENT NO. 3 Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To prohibit the transfer of functions of the Department of Education.

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 _____

Viz:

1 At the end, add the following:

2 **SEC. ____ . PROHIBITION ON TRANSFERRING DEPART-**
3 **MENT OF EDUCATION PROGRAMS TO OTHER**
4 **FEDERAL AGENCIES.**

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

1 istering a program authorized by Federal law to be admin-
2 istered by the Secretary of Education.

3 (b) APPLICABILITY OF OTHER LAWS.—Subject to
4 subsection (c), section 430(a) of the General Education
5 Provisions Act (20 U.S.C. 1231(a)), section 415 and 419
6 of the Department of Education Organization Act (20
7 U.S.C. 3475, 3479), and section 1535 of title 31, United
8 States Code (commonly known as the “Economy Act”)
9 shall not apply to provisions in subsection (a).

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

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

16 (2) the renewal of such a procurement, con-
17 tract, agreement, transfer, or similar arrangement
18 described in this subsection.