

[DISCUSSION DRAFT]

117<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

**H. R.** \_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

M. \_\_\_\_\_ introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 **SEC. 2. USE OF ENTITLEMENT UNDER DEPARTMENT OF**  
3 **VETERANS AFFAIRS SURVIVORS' AND DE-**  
4 **PENDENTS' EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PRO-**  
5 **GRAM FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATION.**

6 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 3501(a)(6) of title 38,  
7 United States Code, is amended—

8 (1) by striking “secondary school,”; and

9 (2) by striking “secondary school level” and in-  
10 sserting “postsecondary school level”.

11 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by  
12 subsection (a) shall take effect on August 1, 2025, and  
13 shall apply with respect to an academic period that begins  
14 on or after that date.