

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 6498
OFFERED BY Mr. Scott**

Strike page 28, line 21 through page 29, line 2, and
insert the following:

1 SEC. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE AND IMPLEMENTATION FUNDING.

2 (a) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This Act and the amend-
3 ments made by this Act shall take effect on July 1, 2027,
4 and shall apply with respect to award year 2027–2028 and
5 each subsequent award year, as determined under the
6 Higher Education Act of 1965.

7 (b) IMPLEMENTATION FUNDING.—There are author-
8 ized to be appropriated to carry out this Act, and the
9 amendments made by this Act, such sums as may be nec-
10 essary.

11 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the effec-
12 tive date of this Act, the Secretary of Education shall sub-
13 mit to Congress a report on how funds appropriated pur-
14 suant to subsection (b) are used by the Institute of Edu-
15 cation Sciences, Office of Federal Student Aid, Office of
16 Planning, Evaluation, and Policy Development, and any
17 other relevant office or entity of the Department of Edu-

1 cation to implement this Act and the amendments made
2 by this Act.

