

AMENDMENT TO H. R. 10
OFFERED BY MS. NORTON OF THE DISTRICT OF
COLUMBIA

Page 14, insert after line 13 the following new subsection:

1 (f) LIMIT ON PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL STUDENT
2 POPULATION OF SCHOOL WHO RECEIVE OPPORTUNITY
3 SCHOLARSHIPS.—Section 3007(a) (sec. 38-1853.07(a),
4 D.C. Official Code), as amended by subsection (b), is fur-
5 ther amended—

6 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking “paragraphs
7 (2), (3), and (5)” and inserting “paragraphs (2),
8 (3), (5), and (6)”; and

9 (2) by adding at the end the following new
10 paragraph:

11 “(6) LIMIT ON PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL STU-
12 DENT POPULATION RECEIVING OPPORTUNITY
13 SCHOLARSHIPS.—

14 “(A) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds
15 provided under this Act for opportunity scholar-
16 ships may be used by an eligible student to en-
17 roll in a participating school for a school year
18 unless the school certifies to the eligible entity

1 that, for the school year, the number of stu-
2 dents enrolled in the school who receive oppor-
3 tunity scholarships under this Act does not ex-
4 ceed the number of students enrolled in the
5 school who do not receive opportunity scholar-
6 ships under this Act.

7 “(B) EXCEPTIONS.—In determining the
8 number of students enrolled in a school who re-
9 ceive opportunity scholarships under this Act
10 for a school year under subparagraph (A), there
11 shall be excluded any student who was receiving
12 an opportunity scholarship as of the date of the
13 enactment of the Scholarships for Opportunity
14 and Results Reauthorization Act and any stu-
15 dent who is the sibling of a student who was re-
16 ceiving an opportunity scholarship as of the
17 date of the enactment of such Act.”.

Page 15, strike lines 18 through 25 and insert the
following:

18 “(i) is conducted using the strongest
19 possible research design for determining
20 the effectiveness of the opportunity schol-
21 arship program under this Act; and”.

Page 16, strike line 24 and all that follows through
page 17, line 4, and insert the following:

1 “(C) work with the eligible entities to en-
2 sure that the parents of each student who ap-
3 plies for a scholarship under this Act (regard-
4 less of whether the student receives the scholar-
5 ship) and the parents of each student partici-
6 pating in the scholarship program under this
7 Act, agree that the student will participate, if
8 requested by the Institute, in the measurements
9 given annually by the Institute for the period
10 for which the student applied for or received the
11 scholarship, respectively, except that nothing in
12 this subparagraph shall affect a student’s pri-
13 ority for an opportunity scholarship as provided
14 under section 3006.”.

