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S. 2217

To amend part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to provide full Federal funding of such part.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. KAINE, Mr. CASEY, Mr. PADILLA, Ms. WARREN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LUJÁN, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. BROWN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Ms. SMITH, Mr. FETTERMAN, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. MURPHY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. REED, and Mr. PETERS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “IDEA Full Funding
5 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. MANDATORY FUNDING OF THE INDIVIDUALS WITH**
2 **DISABILITIES EDUCATION ACT.**

3 Section 611(i) of the Individuals with Disabilities
4 Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1411(i)) is amended to read
5 as follows:

6 “(i) FUNDING.—

7 “(1) IN GENERAL.—For the purpose of car-
8 rying out this part, other than section 619, there are
9 authorized to be appropriated—

10 “(A) \$16,259,193,000 or 14.2 percent of
11 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
12 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2024, and
13 there are hereby appropriated \$5,870,321,000
14 or 5.1 percent of the amount determined under
15 paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for fiscal
16 year 2024, which shall become available for ob-
17 ligation on July 1, 2024, and shall remain
18 available through September 30, 2025;

19 “(B) \$18,636,567,000 or 16.0 percent of
20 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
21 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2025, and
22 there are hereby appropriated \$7,535,090,000
23 or 6.5 percent of the amount determined under
24 paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for fiscal
25 year 2025, which shall become available for ob-

1 ligation on July 1, 2025, and shall remain
2 available through September 30, 2026;

3 “(C) \$21,361,554,000 or 17.9 percent of
4 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
5 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2026, and
6 there are hereby appropriated \$9,671,973,000
7 or 8.1 percent of the amount determined under
8 paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for fiscal
9 year 2026, which shall become available for ob-
10 ligation on July 1, 2026, and shall remain
11 available through September 30, 2027;

12 “(D) \$24,484,981,000 or 20.1 percent of
13 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
14 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2027, and
15 there are hereby appropriated \$12,414,856,000
16 or 10.2 percent of the amount determined
17 under paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for
18 fiscal year 2027, which shall become available
19 for obligation on July 1, 2027, and shall remain
20 available through September 30, 2028;

21 “(E) \$28,065,107,000 or 22.6 percent of
22 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
23 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2028, and
24 there are hereby appropriated \$15,935,595,000
25 or 12.8 percent of the amount determined

1 under paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for
2 fiscal year 2028, which shall become available
3 for obligation on July 1, 2028, and shall remain
4 available through September 30, 2029;

5 “(F) \$32,168,709,000 or 22.6 percent of
6 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
7 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2029, and
8 there are hereby appropriated \$20,454,785,000
9 or 16.1 percent of the amount determined
10 under paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for
11 fiscal year 2029, which shall become available
12 for obligation on July 1, 2029, and shall remain
13 available through September 30, 2030;

14 “(G) \$36,872,329,000 or 28.4 percent of
15 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
16 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2030, and
17 there are hereby appropriated \$26,255,574,000
18 or 20.2 percent of the amount determined
19 under paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for
20 fiscal year 2030, which shall become available
21 for obligation on July 1, 2030, and shall remain
22 available through September 30, 2031;

23 “(H) \$42,263,698,000 or 31.8 percent of
24 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
25 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2031, and

1 there are hereby appropriated \$33,701,415,000
2 or 25.4 percent of the amount determined
3 under paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for
4 fiscal year 2031, which shall become available
5 for obligation on July 1, 2031, and shall remain
6 available through September 30, 2032;

7 “(I) \$48,443,379,000 or 35.7 percent of
8 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
9 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2032, and
10 there are hereby appropriated \$43,258,828,000
11 or 31.9 percent of the amount determined
12 under paragraph (2), whichever is greater, for
13 fiscal year 2032, which shall become available
14 for obligation on July 1, 2032, and shall remain
15 available through September 30, 2033; and

16 “(J) \$55,526,635,000 or 40.0 percent of
17 the amount determined under paragraph (2),
18 whichever is greater, for fiscal year 2033 and
19 each subsequent fiscal year, and there are here-
20 by appropriated \$55,526,635,000 or 40.0 per-
21 cent of the amount determined under para-
22 graph (2), whichever is greater, for fiscal year
23 2033 and each subsequent fiscal year, which—

24 “(i) shall become available for obliga-
25 tion with respect to fiscal year 2033 on

1 July 1, 2033, and shall remain available
2 through September 30, 2034; and

3 “(ii) shall become available for obliga-
4 tion with respect to each subsequent fiscal
5 year on July 1 of that fiscal year and shall
6 remain available through September 30 of
7 the succeeding fiscal year.

8 “(2) AMOUNT.—With respect to each subpara-
9 graph of paragraph (1), the amount determined
10 under this paragraph is the product of—

11 “(A) the total number of children with dis-
12 abilities in all States who—

13 “(i) received special education and re-
14 lated services during the last school year
15 that concluded before the first day of the
16 fiscal year for which the determination is
17 made; and

18 “(ii) were aged—

19 “(I) 3 through 5 (with respect to
20 the States that were eligible for
21 grants under section 619); and

22 “(II) 6 through 21; and

1 “(B) the average per-pupil expenditure in
2 public elementary schools and secondary schools
3 in the United States.”.

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