

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 981

To amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the processes to approve programs of education for purposes of the educational assistance programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 5, 2025

Mr. VAN ORDEN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Veterans' Affairs

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 “Veterans Education
5 Transparency and Training Act” or the “VETT Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROCESSES TO APPROVE PROGRAMS OF EDU-**
2 **CATION FOR PURPOSES OF THE EDU-**
3 **CATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS OF THE**
4 **DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.**

5 (a) LIMITATION OF DISAPPROVAL OF PROGRAMS OF
6 EDUCATION FOR FAILURE TO PROVIDE CERTAIN
7 FORMS.—Section 3679(f)(5) of title 38, United States
8 Code, is amended—

9 (1) in subparagraph (A), by striking “this para-

10 graph” and inserting “this subparagraph”;

11 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “this para-

12 graph” and inserting “subparagraph (A)”;

13 (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-

14 paragraph:

15 “(C) If an educational institution cannot provide to

16 an individual a form under paragraph (1) that contains

17 all of the information required under subparagraph (A)

18 of such paragraph, the educational institution shall pro-

19 vide to such individual, with the form under such para-

20 graph, a notice—

21 “(i) that specifies what such information may

22 be inaccurate or incomplete; and

23 “(ii) that includes, in place of the information

24 that may be inaccurate or incomplete, the best esti-

25 mate available on the date of such notice.”.

1 (b) PUBLICATION OF INFORMATION ABOUT TRAIN-
2 ING FOR SCHOOL CERTIFYING OFFICIALS.—The Sec-
3 retary of Veterans Affairs shall establish a website to serve
4 as a central location for the publication of information
5 about the training that the Department of Veterans Af-
6 fairs provides for school certifying officials and shall up-
7 date such information on a regular basis.

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