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# H. R. 825

To provide funds to schools that provide educational services to homeless children and youth.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 1, 2001

Mr. FLAKE (for himself, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. POMBO, Mr. FROST, Mr. HORN, and Mrs. MYRICK) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition, to the Committee on Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## A BILL

To provide funds to schools that provide educational services to homeless children and youth.

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. USE OF MCKINNEY FUNDS.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
5 sion of Federal law, a State educational agency or local  
6 educational agency that receives funds under subtitle B  
7 of title VII of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assist-  
8 ance Act (42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq.) shall provide, to the

1 extent practicable, such funds to any public elementary or  
2 secondary school accredited by the State that provides  
3 educational services to homeless children and youth.

4 (b) RIGHT OF CHOICE.—Notwithstanding section  
5 722(g) and paragraphs (2) and (3) of section 723(a) of  
6 the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act, a  
7 homeless parent or guardian may exercise the right to  
8 choose to enroll a child or youth in a public elementary  
9 or secondary school accredited by the State designed ex-  
10 clusively for the education of homeless children and youth,  
11 if available.

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