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# S. 2690

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 20, 2004

Mr. HARKIN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

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## 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. RESTRICTION ON USE OF SECTION 8 FUNDS.**

4       (a) IN GENERAL.—No assistance shall be provided  
5       under section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937  
6       (42 U.S.C. 1437f) to any individual who—

7               (1) is enrolled as a student at an institution of  
8       higher education (as defined under section 102 of

1 the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C.  
2 1002));

3 (2) is under 24 years of age;

4 (3) is not a veteran;

5 (4) is unmarried;

6 (5) does not have a dependent child; and

7 (6) is not otherwise individually eligible, or has  
8 parents who, individually or jointly, are not eligible,  
9 to receive assistance under section 8 of the United  
10 States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437f).

11 (b) ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS.—For purposes  
12 of determining the eligibility of a person to receive assist-  
13 ance under section 8 of the United States Housing Act  
14 of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437f), any financial assistance (in  
15 excess of amounts received for tuition) that an individual  
16 receives under the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20  
17 U.S.C. 1001 et seq.), from private sources, or an institu-  
18 tion of higher education (as defined under the Higher  
19 Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1002), shall be consid-  
20 ered income to that individual.

21 (c) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 30 days after the  
22 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Housing  
23 and Urban Development shall issue final regulations to  
24 carry out the provisions of this section.

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