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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 11, 2014

Mr. DURBIN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Veterans' 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “GI Education Benefit  
5 Fairness Act of 2014”.

1 **SEC. 2. CLARIFICATION REGARDING THE CHILDREN TO**  
 2 **WHOM ENTITLEMENT TO EDUCATIONAL AS-**  
 3 **SISTANCE MAY BE TRANSFERRED UNDER**  
 4 **POST-9/11 EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (c) of section 3319 of  
 6 title 38, United States Code, is amended to read as fol-  
 7 lows:

8 “(c) ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS.—

9 “(1) TRANSFER.—An individual approved to  
 10 transfer an entitlement to educational assistance  
 11 under this section may transfer the individual’s enti-  
 12 tlement as follows:

13 “(A) To the individual’s spouse.

14 “(B) To one or more of the individual’s  
 15 children.

16 “(C) To a combination of the individuals  
 17 referred to in subparagraphs (A) and (B).

18 “(2) DEFINITION OF CHILDREN.—For purposes  
 19 of this subsection, the term ‘children’ includes de-  
 20 pendents described in section 1072(2)(I) of title  
 21 10.”.

22 (b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendment made by sub-  
 23 section (a) shall apply with respect to educational assist-  
 24 ance payable under chapter 33 of title 38, United States

- 1 Code, before, on, or after the date of the enactment of
- 2 this Act.

