

S. 3757. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish fair and consistent eligibility requirements for graduate medical schools operating outside the United States and Canada; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

S. 3757

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Foreign Medical School Accountability Fairness Act of 2026".

SEC. 2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Act is to establish consistent eligibility requirements for graduate medical schools operating outside of the United States and Canada in order to increase accountability and protect United States students and taxpayer dollars.

SEC. 3. FINDINGS.

Congress finds the following:

(1) Three for-profit schools in the Caribbean have historically received nearly 3/4 of all Federal funding under title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1070 et seq.) that goes to students enrolled at foreign graduate medical schools, despite those 3 schools being exempt from meeting the same eligibility requirements as the majority of graduate medical schools located outside of the United States and Canada.

(2) The National Committee on Foreign Medical Education and Accreditation and the Department of Education recommend that all foreign graduate medical schools should be required to meet the same eligibility requirements to participate in Federal funding under title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1070 et seq.).

(3) The attrition rate at United States medical schools averaged 3.2 percent between 1998 and 2018, while rates at for-profit Caribbean medical schools have been known to reach 30 percent.

(4) In 2025, residency match rates for foreign trained graduates averaged 67.8 percent compared to 93.5 percent for graduates of allopathic medical schools in the United States and 92.6 percent for graduates of osteopathic medical schools in the United States.

(5) On average, students at for-profit medical schools operating outside of the United States and Canada amass more student debt than students at medical schools in the United States.

SEC. 4. REPEAL GRANDFATHER PROVISIONS.

Section 102(a)(2) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1002(a)(2)) is amended—

(1) in subparagraph (A), by striking clause (i) and inserting the following:

“(i) in the case of a graduate medical school located outside the United States—

“(I) at least 60 percent of those enrolled in, and at least 60 percent of the graduates of, the graduate medical school outside the United States were not persons described in section 484(a)(5) in the year preceding the year for which a student is seeking a loan under part D of title IV; and

“(II) at least 75 percent of the individuals who were students or graduates of the graduate medical school outside the United States or Canada (both nationals of the United States and others) taking the examinations administered by the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates received a passing score in the year preceding the year for which a student is seeking a loan under part D of title IV;”;

(2) in subparagraph (B)(iii), by adding at the end the following:

“(V) EXPIRATION OF AUTHORITY.—The authority of a graduate medical school de-

scribed in subclause (I) to qualify for participation in the loan programs under part D of title IV pursuant to this clause shall expire beginning on the first July 1 following the date of enactment of the Foreign Medical School Accountability Fairness Act of 2026.”.

SEC. 5. LOSS OF ELIGIBILITY.

If a graduate medical school loses eligibility to participate in the loan programs under part D of title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1087a et seq.) due to the enactment of the amendments made by section 4, then a student enrolled at such graduate medical school on or before the date of enactment of this Act may, notwithstanding such loss of eligibility, continue to be eligible to receive a loan under such part D while attending such graduate medical school in which the student was enrolled upon the date of enactment of this Act, subject to the student continuing to meet all applicable requirements for satisfactory academic progress, until the earliest of—

(1) withdrawal by the student from the graduate medical school;

(2) completion of the program of study by the student at the graduate medical school; or

(3) the fourth June 30 after such loss of eligibility.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO OBJECT TO PROCEEDING

I, Senator RON WYDEN, intend to object to proceeding to the nomination of Sean Plankey, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, Department of Homeland Security, dated February 2, 2026.

FOREIGN TRAVEL FINANCIAL REPORTS

In accordance with the appropriate provisions of law, the Secretary of the Senate herewith submits the following reports for standing committees of the Senate, certain joint committees of the Congress, delegations and groups, and select and special committees of the Senate, relating to expenses incurred in the performance of authorized foreign travel:

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22 U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2025

Table with columns: Name and country, Name of currency, Per diem (U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency), Transportation (U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency), Miscellaneous (U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency), Total (U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency). Rows include Alexander Moree, Michael Pevzner, Alexandra Sabater, Joseph Sweeney, Delegation Expenses, Alex Moree, and Steve Smith.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2025—Continued

| Name and country | Name of currency | Per diem | Transportation | Miscellaneous | Total |
|------------------------|------------------|---|---|---|---|
| | | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency |
| Joe Sweeney: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,272.00 | | | 1,272.00 |
| Country 2 | | 306.03 | | | 306.03 |
| Country 3 | | 1,174.60 | | | 1,174.60 |
| Country 4 | | | 8,749.59 | | 8,749.59 |
| Ryan Tully: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,272.00 | | | 1,272.00 |
| Country 2 | | 306.03 | | | 306.03 |
| Country 3 | | 594.00 | | | 594.00 |
| Country 4 | | | 13,438.29 | | 13,438.29 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 689.60 | 689.60 |
| Country 2 | | | | 40.65 | 40.65 |
| Country 3 | | | | 60.32 | 60.32 |
| Nathan Heiman: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 455.61 | | | 455.61 |
| Country 2 | | | 4,220.10 | | 4,220.10 |
| Eric Losick: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 133.80 | | | 133.80 |
| Samantha Roberts: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 395.61 | | | 395.61 |
| Country 2 | | | 4,220.10 | | 4,220.10 |
| Valli Sanmugalingam: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 455.61 | | | 455.61 |
| Country 2 | | | 4,220.10 | | 4,220.10 |
| Arjun Ravindra: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 659.00 | | | 659.00 |
| Country 2 | | | 11,020.10 | | 11,020.10 |
| Country 3 | | | | | |
| Shannon Richter: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 846.00 | | | 846.00 |
| Country 2 | | 754.00 | | | 754.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 13,807.31 | | 13,807.31 |
| Steve Smith: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 846.00 | | | 846.00 |
| Country 2 | | 576.10 | | | 576.10 |
| Country 3 | | | 13,807.31 | | 13,807.31 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 188.57 | 188.57 |
| Country 2 | | | | 669.42 | 669.42 |
| Elnigar Iltebir: | | | | | |
| Country 3 | | 699.34 | | | 699.34 |
| Country 4 | | | 5,703.50 | | 5,703.50 |
| Eric Losick: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 232.75 | | | 232.75 |
| Country 2 | | 702.00 | | | 702.00 |
| Country 3 | | 699.34 | | | 699.34 |
| Country 4 | | | 10,455.91 | | 10,455.91 |
| Maria Mahler-Haug: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 510.33 | | | 510.33 |
| Country 2 | | 702.00 | | | 702.00 |
| Country 3 | | 699.34 | | | 699.34 |
| Country 4 | | | 10,455.91 | | 10,455.91 |
| Caroline Wadhams: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 647.75 | | | 647.75 |
| Country 2 | | 502.00 | | | 502.00 |
| Country 3 | | 499.34 | | | 499.34 |
| Country 4 | | | 10,455.91 | | 10,455.91 |
| Russell Willig: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 747.75 | | | 747.75 |
| Country 2 | | 702.00 | | | 702.00 |
| Country 3 | | 699.34 | | | 699.34 |
| Country 4 | | | 10,455.91 | | 10,455.91 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 221.21 | 221.21 |
| Country 2 | | | | 660.82 | 660.82 |
| Country 3 | | | | 6,453.51 | 6,453.51 |
| Heather Melancon: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 3,192.42 | | | 3,192.42 |
| Country 2 | | 2,378.51 | | | 2,378.51 |
| Country 3 | | | 13,191.21 | | 13,191.21 |
| Senator Ron Wyden: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 3,192.42 | | | 3,192.42 |
| Country 2 | | 2,517.62 | | | 2,517.62 |
| Country 3 | | | 19,293.51 | | 19,293.51 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 6,464.50 | 6,464.50 |
| Country 2 | | | | 6,814.75 | 6,814.75 |
| Elnigar Iltebir: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 445.56 | | | 445.56 |
| Country 2 | | 775.00 | | | 775.00 |
| Country 4 | | | 9,620.41 | | 9,620.41 |
| Country 3 | | 806.10 | | | 806.10 |
| Sarah Istel: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 131.00 | | | 131.00 |
| Country 2 | | 775.00 | | | 775.00 |
| Country 4 | | | 11,590.81 | | 11,590.81 |
| Adam Martina: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 445.55 | | | 445.55 |
| Country 2 | | 960.00 | | | 960.00 |
| Country 4 | | | 9,826.21 | | 9,826.21 |
| Country 3 | | 806.10 | | | 806.10 |
| Arjun Ravindra: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 445.55 | | | 445.55 |
| Country 4 | | | 8,339.81 | | 8,339.81 |
| Country 3 | | 579.05 | | | 579.05 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 27.09 | 27.09 |
| Country 3 | | | | 208.03 | 208.03 |
| John Pinegar: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 545.36 | | | 545.36 |
| Country 2 | | | 12,341.21 | | 12,341.21 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 256.36 | 256.36 |
| Sarah Istel: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,245.26 | | | 1,245.26 |

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2025—Continued

| Name and country | Name of currency | Per diem | Transportation | Miscellaneous | Total |
|------------------------|------------------|---|---|---|---|
| | | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency |
| Country 2 | | | 20,537.40 | | 20,537.40 |
| John Pinegar: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,245.26 | | | 1,245.26 |
| Country 2 | | | 20,537.40 | | 20,537.40 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | | | 87.00 | 87.00 |
| Sarah Istel: | | | | | |
| Country 2 | | 664.00 | | | 664.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 9,169.31 | | 9,169.31 |
| Heather Melancon: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,011.00 | | | 1,011.00 |
| Country 2 | | 664.00 | | | 664.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 10,963.08 | | 10,963.08 |
| John Pinegar: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,075.00 | | | 1,075.00 |
| Country 2 | | 892.00 | | | 892.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 4,107.71 | | 4,107.71 |
| Caldwell Willig: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,011.00 | | | 1,011.00 |
| Country 2 | | 664.00 | | | 664.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 10,965.38 | | 10,965.38 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | 936.00 | 936.00 |
| Jennifer Barrett: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 3,080.38 | | | 3,080.38 |
| Country 2 | | | 10,976.81 | | 10,976.81 |
| Arjun Ravindra: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 3,080.38 | | | 3,080.38 |
| Country 2 | | | 10,976.81 | | 10,976.81 |
| Shannon Richter: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 2,910.38 | | | 2,910.38 |
| Country 2 | | | 13,354.41 | | 13,354.41 |
| Allen Souza: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 3,080.38 | | | 3,080.38 |
| Country 2 | | | 10,976.81 | | 10,976.81 |
| Daniel Tomanelli: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 3,080.38 | | | 3,080.38 |
| Country 2 | | | 14,518.21 | | 14,518.21 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | 17,255.96 | 17,255.96 |
| Michael Gancio: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,635.30 | | | 1,635.30 |
| Country 2 | | 1,700.00 | | | 1,700.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 6,707.26 | | 6,707.26 |
| Nathan Heiman: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,635.30 | | | 1,635.30 |
| Country 2 | | 1,700.00 | | | 1,700.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 5,920.56 | | 5,920.56 |
| Valli Sanmugalingam: | | | | | |
| Country 2 | | 1,700.00 | | | 1,700.00 |
| Country 3 | | | 5,090.06 | | 5,090.06 |
| Stephen Smith: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 1,635.30 | | | 1,635.30 |
| Country 2 | | 1,444.40 | | | 1,444.40 |
| Country 3 | | | 5,920.56 | | 5,920.56 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | 111.89 | 111.89 |
| Tri Minh Nguyen: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 176.00 | | | 176.00 |
| Country 2 | | 748.72 | | | 748.72 |
| Country 3 | | | 14,071.61 | | 14,071.61 |
| Caldwell Willig: | | | | | |
| Country 1 | | 176.00 | | | 176.00 |
| Country 2 | | 748.72 | | | 748.72 |
| Country 3 | | | 14,121.61 | | 14,121.61 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | 724.06 | 724.06 |
| Country 2 | | | | | |
| Total | | 82,165.22 | 478,506.62 | 42,742.56 | 603,414.40 |

* Note: All values are United States Dollar Equivalent.

** Delegation expenses include payments and reimbursements to the Department of State under authority of Sec. 502(b) of the Mutual Security Act of 1954, as amended by Section 22 of P.L. 95-384, and S. Res. 179 agreed to May 25, 1977.

SENATOR TOM COTTON,
Chairman, Committee on Intelligence, Jan. 23, 2026.

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY FOR TRAVEL FROM OCT. 1 TO DEC. 31, 2025

| Name and country | Name of currency | Per diem | Transportation | Miscellaneous | Total |
|------------------------|------------------|---|---|---|---|
| | | U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency |
| Senator Amy Klobuchar: | | | | | |
| Italy | US Dollar | 783.46 | | | 783.46 |
| United States | US Dollar | | 14,265.03 | | 14,265.03 |
| Robert Neison: | | | | | |
| Italy | US Dollar | 821.38 | | | 821.38 |
| United States | US Dollar | | 14,265.03 | | 14,265.03 |
| Delegation Expenses:** | | | | | |
| Italy | Euro | | | 2,597.24 | 2,597.24 |
| Senator Thom Tillis: | | | | | |
| Canada | US Dollar | 651.00 | | | 651.00 |
| United States | US Dollar | | 667.81 | | 667.81 |
| Jorin Lintzenich: | | | | | |
| Canada | US Dollar | 586.00 | | | 586.00 |
| Delegation Expenses** | | | | 1,548.45 | 1,548.45 |
| Canada | Canadian Dollar | | | | |
| Total | | 2,841.84 | 29,197.87 | 4,145.69 | 36,185.40 |

* Note: All values are United States Dollar Equivalent.

** Delegation expenses include payments and reimbursements to the Department of State under authority of Sec. 502(b) of the Mutual Security Act of 1954, as amended by Section 22 of P.L. 95-384, and S. Res. 179 agreed to May 25, 1977.

SENATOR CHARLES GRASSLEY,
Chairman, Committee on the Judiciary, Jan. 28, 2026.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M.
TOMORROW

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 6:54 p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, February 3, 2026, at 10 a.m.