

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2117, AS REPORTED**  
**OFFERED BY MR. GOSAR OF ARIZONA**

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. 3. TREATMENT OF PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER**  
2 **EDUCATION.**

3 A State that receives funds under the Higher Edu-  
4 cation Act of 1965 may not require a public institution  
5 of higher education (as defined in section 101 of such Act)  
6 that is not physically located, but that is offering distance  
7 or correspondence postsecondary education courses, in the  
8 State to meet such State's requirements for authorization  
9 as a provider of postsecondary education. ~~The Secretary~~  
10 ~~of Education is authorized to withhold funds that would~~  
11 ~~otherwise be available to a State under title IV of the~~  
12 ~~Higher Education Act of 1965, or any other provision of~~  
13 ~~such Act, if such State fails to comply with the preceding~~  
14 ~~sentence.~~

