

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-  
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OFFERED BY MR. CURTIS OF UTAH**

Page 12, line 16, strike “Section 601” and insert the following: “(A) IN GENERAL.—Section 601”.

Page 12, insert after line the following:

1       (b) SAFEGUARDS FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATIONAL IN-  
2       STITUTIONS RECEIVING ASSISTANCE.—Title VI of the  
3       Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.) is  
4       amended by adding at the end the following:

5       “SEC. 607.

6       “(a) Nothing in this title shall prohibit a religious  
7       education institution from enforcing standards (including  
8       in admissions criteria) requiring that a person be of the  
9       same religion or adhere to its religious beliefs, observ-  
10      ances, tenets, or practices, or from giving preference to  
11      such persons, unless membership in such religion or ad-  
12      herence to such beliefs, observances, tenets, or practices  
13      is restricted on account of race, color, or national origin

14      “(b) For purposes of this section, the term ‘religious  
15      educational institution’ means any preschool, primary, sec-  
16      ondary, or post-secondary educational institution that is—

1           “(1) in whole or in substantial part, owned,  
2 supported, controlled, or managed by a particular  
3 church, denomination, convention, or association of  
4 churches or other houses of worship; or

5           “(2) a nonprofit corporation organized for edu-  
6 cational purposes that holds itself out to the public  
7 as substantially religious and is substantially reli-  
8 gious in its current operations.”.

