AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 4508
OFFERED BY MS. BONAMICI OF OREGON

Insert after section 3 the following:

SEC. 4. LIMITATION PENDING CERTIFICATION RELATING TO VETERANS.

(a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

(1) The Federal Government provides education benefits to military service members and veterans through the G.I. bill and the Tuition Assistance Program.

(2) A 2012 Senate investigation into for-profit colleges uncovered fraud, deception, and recruitment practices that targeted service members and veterans.

(3) The Attorney General of California found that Corinthian Colleges unofficially used the official seals of the United States Department of the Army, the United States Department of the Navy, the United States Department of the Air Force, the United States Marine Corps, and the United States Coast Guard to prey on military veterans.
(4) State attorneys general and Federal agencies have found for-profit colleges responsible for predatory practices toward veterans.

(b) LIMITATION.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, this Act shall not take effect until the date on which the Inspector General of the Department of Education, in consultation with the Inspector General of the Department of Veterans Affairs, certifies to Congress that no provision of this Act would lead to an increase in fraud and abuse directed at veterans.