

AMENDMENT TO DIVISION A OF RULES
COMMITTEE PRINT 117-12
OFFERED BY MR. MURPHY OF NORTH CAROLINA

At the end of division A (before the short title), insert the following:

1 PROHIBITION AGAINST FEDERAL MANDATES, DIRECTION,

2 OR CONTROL

3 SEC. ____.

4 Subsection (b) of section 8526A of the Elementary
5 and Secondary Education Act (20 U.S.C. 7906a) is
6 amended—

7 (1) by striking “(B) FINANCIAL SUPPORT.—”

8 and inserting “(B) FINANCIAL SUPPORT.—

9 “(1) IN GENERAL.—”; and

10 (2) by adding at the end the following:

11 “(2) AMERICAN HISTORY AND CIVICS EDU-
12 CATION.—No officer or employee of the Federal
13 Government shall condition or incentivize the receipt
14 of any grant, contract, or cooperative agreement, the
15 receipt of any priority or preference under such
16 grant, contract, or cooperative agreement, or the re-
17 ceipt of a waiver under section 8401, upon a State,
18 local educational agency, or school’s adoption or im-

1 plementation of specific instructional content, aca-
2 demic standards and assessments, curriculum, or
3 program of instruction related to—

4 “(A) the priorities noticed in the proposed
5 rule submitted by the Department of Education
6 relating to Proposed Priorities-American His-
7 tory and Civics Education (published at 86
8 Fed. Reg. 20348 (April 19, 2021)); or

9 “(B) any other priorities or requirements
10 under any grant, contract, or cooperative agree-
11 ment related to the teaching of Critical Race
12 Theory.”.

