Purpose: To require the evaluation and consolidation of duplicative early learning and child care programs, as identified by the 2012 Government Accountability Office report entitled “Opportunities to Reduce Duplication, Overlap and Fragmentation, Achieve Savings, and Enhance Revenue”.

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To reauthorize and improve the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990, and for other purposes.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. Coburn

Viz:

1 At the end, add the following:

2 SEC. ___ . EVALUATION AND CONSOLIDATION OF DUPLICATIVE EARLY LEARNING AND CHILD CARE PROGRAMS.

3 (a) Elimination of Duplicative Programs.—

(2) EVEN START.—Subpart 2 of part B of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6371 et seq.) is repealed.

(3) EARLY READING FIRST.—Subpart 3 of part B of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6381 et seq.) is repealed.

(4) EARLY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES ACT.—The Early Learning Opportunities Act (20 U.S.C. 9401 et seq.) is repealed.

(5) EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT PROGRAM.—Subsection (e) of section 2151 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6651(e)) is repealed.

(b) RESTRICTED USE OF FUNDS.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no funds appropriated for any of the following programs or activities shall be used for child care or early education:

(1) Any assistance provided by the Appalachian Regional Commission under chapters 143 or 145 of title 40, United States Code.

(2) The Safe Start Program administered under part C of the Juvenile Justice and Delin-
quency Prevention Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5651 et seq.).


(7) Adult and dislocated worker employment and training activities under chapter 5 of subtitle B of title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 2861 et seq.).

(c) REPORT.—

(1) DEFINITION OF APPLICABLE SECRETARY.—In this subsection, the term “applicable Secretary” means a Secretary with authority over a program,
activity, service, or provision of law described in paragraph (3).

(2) IN GENERAL.—Not later than March 1, 2015, each applicable Secretary shall submit to Congress, and make available through the Internet on the public website of the agency of the applicable Secretary, a report on the outcomes of each program, activity, and service described in paragraph (3) under the authority of the Secretary. Each such report shall include—

(A) a determination of the total administrative expenses of the applicable program, activity, or service;

(B) a determination of the expenditures for services for the applicable program, activity, or service; and

(C) an estimate of the number of clients served by the applicable program, activity, or service and beneficiaries who received assistance under the applicable program, activity, or service (if applicable).

(3) COVERED PROGRAMS.—The programs, activities, and services described in this paragraph are the following:
(A) The local educational agency grant program for Indian education under subpart 1 of part A of title VII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7421 et seq.).


(C) Any Indian child and family service program funded by a grant awarded under title II of the Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978 (25 U.S.C. 1931 et seq.).


(G) The grant program for the improvement of educational opportunities for Indian children authorized under section 7121(c) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7441(c)).

(H) The Race to the Top State incentive grant program under section 14006 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Public Law 112–10).

(I) The grant program for special education for infants, toddlers, and families authorized under part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1431 et seq.).


(K) The child care development block grant program under the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 9858 et seq.), including funds provided under section 418 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 618).
(L) Programs provided under the Head Start Act (42 U.S.C. 9831 et seq.).

(M) Space allotted in a Federal building for child care services under section 590 of title 40, United States Code.

(N) Any assistance provided by the Appalachian Regional Commission under chapters 143 or 145 of title 40, United States Code.


(P) The school lunch program established under the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1751 et seq.).


(S) The full-service community school grant program carried out under subpart 1 of part D of title V of the Elementary and Sec-
(T) The promise neighborhood grant program carried out under subpart 1 of part D of title V of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7243 et seq.).

(U) The education for homeless children and youth program under subtitle B of title VII of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq.).


(X) The local educational agency grant program authorized under part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6311 et seq.).

(Y) The special education State personnel development grant program under subpart 1 of
part D of the Individuals with Disabilities Edu-
cation Act (20 U.S.C. 1451 et seq.).

(Z) The State grant program for children
with disabilities under part B of the Individuals
with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C.
1411 et seq.).

(AA) The technology and media services
for individuals with disabilities program under
section 674 of the Individuals with Disabilities

(BB) The community services block grant
program under the Community Services Block
Grant Act (42 U.S.C. 9901 et seq.).

(CC) The program of block grants to
States for social services under subtitle A of
title XX of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
1397 et seq.).

(DD) The program of block grants to
States for temporary assistance for needy fami-
lies under part A of title IV of the Social Secu-
ritiy Act (42 U.S.C. 601 et seq.).

(EE) Grants provided under the Commu-
nity Development Block Grant program estab-
lished under title I of the Housing and Commu-
nity Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5301
et seq.) for areas that are not nonentitlement areas.

(FF) Grants provided under the Community Development Block Grant program established under title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.) for insular areas, as defined in section 102 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 5302).

(GG) Grants provided under the Community Development Block Grant program established under title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.) for nonentitlement areas in Hawaii.


(JJ) The transitional housing assistance for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, or sexual assault grant program under


(MM) Adult and dislocated worker employment and training activities under chapter 5 of subtitle B of title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 2861 et seq.).

(NN) The donation of surplus Federal personal property through State agencies under section 549 of title 40, United States Code.

(d) COMBINATION OF INDIAN, NATIVE HAWAIIAN, AND ALASKA NATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAMS.—By not later than September 15, 2015, the Secretary of Education and the Secretary of Interior jointly shall—

(1) review the program outcomes reports required under this section for the programs, activities, and services described in subparagraphs (A) through (F) of subsection (c)(3); and

(2) prepare and submit to Congress a plan, including legislative and administrative recommenda-
tions, regarding how to combine such programs, ac-
tivities, and services into a single program serving
the same populations.