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The Honorable Jeff Flake
Senator
United States Senate
Russell Senate Office Building 413
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Flake:

On behalf of The Center for Education Reform, I am writing to thank you for your support for the charter school authorizing language in the Alexander Substitute, Amendment number 2089.

As you know, charter schools are public schools, which are free from many onerous rules but accountable for performance to their authorizers, which vary state by state. The substitute language ensures respect for those individual differences state by state as well as the hard work they are doing to ensure the proliferation of quality schooling options for all children.

We are grateful for your recognition and leadership in this important education effort.

Sincerely,



Kara Kerwin
President