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The Elementary & Secondary Education Act (ESEA)--
reauthorization and regulatory update. *"Plus ca change-plus c'est la
meme chose."*

- NCSL Issue Brief
- Rep. Kelsch memo (6-23-08) in response to reg proposal
- 9-23-08 group letter to Rep. Moran to stop reg process
- AASA memo (11-08) on ED response
- 400 pages of reg 'reforms' now added to 1000 thousand pages of statute, thousand of pages of existing regs and thousands of pages of 'guidance'.

'Full' federal funding for Part "B" of the Individuals w/Disabilities
Education Act. *"Are pigs really going to fly?"*

- IDEA Mandatory funding proposal-supported by NCSL policy
- Rep. Van Hollen bill

School-based services for special education students. *"Give with the
right, take away with the left -- is suspended --for now"*

- Education Week article (01-09-08) on Medicaid payments freeze
- CRS Report ((03-09-06)
- Dennis Smith op-ed piece after reversal of decision