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## General Comment

As a volunteer & host mother of exchange students I don't see how the Government can determine that a single person cannot be a good parent to an exchange student. Many of these single persons do not want to have a natural child out of wedlock and this is a way to experience having a child and giving back to that child. Many of these types of families often have more time, energy & money to give to these students while they are here for the year. There is no competition from other siblings in the home and sometimes these students blossom and mature at schools because they need to go in and make themselves friends instead of relying on a "host" sister or brother. I think this would be a big injustice to divorced, single and empty nest singles everywhere to restrict them from hosting students.