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To establish a higher education recruitment and retention initiative and a leadership for human survival initiative.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. INOUE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources

A BILL

To establish a higher education recruitment and retention initiative and a leadership for human survival initiative.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 (a) PURPOSE.—It is the purpose of this section to
4 develop, establish, and operate—

5 (1) a program to recruit for enrollment in an
6 institution of higher education and graduate Native
7 Hawaiian, Native American Samoan, Micronesian,
8 and Filipino students; and

9 (2) a leadership for human survival initiative
10 that encourages secondary school students to become

1 future leaders by teaching such students through a
2 curriculum developed by the Hokule'a and the Na-
3 tional Aeronautics and Space Administration.

4 (b) HIGHER EDUCATION RECRUITMENT AND RETEN-
5 TION INITIATIVE.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Director of the National
7 Science Foundation shall award a grant to an insti-
8 tution of higher education to enable such institution
9 to develop, establish, and operate a program to en-
10 courage Native Hawaiian, Native American Samoan,
11 Micronesian, and Filipino students to enroll in a
12 program of higher education. Such program shall—

13 (A) provide recruitment and enrollment as-
14 sistance for such students to encourage such
15 students to attend an institution of higher
16 education;

17 (B) provide such students with assistance
18 related to remaining in school and successfully
19 completing their course of study; and

20 (C) encourage such students to study
21 mathematics, science and engineering.

22 (2) LIMITATION.—Grants under this subsection
23 only shall be made to an institution of higher edu-
24 cation with a strong record of recruiting and retain-
25 ing at such institution Native Hawaiian, Native

1 American Samoan, Micronesian, and Filipino stu-
2 dents.

3 (c) LEADERSHIP FOR HUMAN SURVIVAL INITIA-
4 TIVE.—The Director of the National Science Foundation
5 shall award a grant to the Polynesian Voyaging Society
6 to enable such organization, in consultation with the Na-
7 tional Aeronautics and Space Administration, to develop,
8 establish, and operate a program to encourage secondary
9 school students to become future leaders by training such
10 students in human survival techniques and studying tradi-
11 tional conservation methods of populations indigenous to
12 the Pacific Islands. Such program shall—

13 (1) train secondary school students to imple-
14 ment research on how modern science might solve a
15 current human survival problem by analyzing how
16 issues such as housing, food or energy production
17 were addressed by populations indigenous to the
18 Pacific Islands; and

19 (2) enable secondary students to explore topics
20 such as alternative and renewable energy sources,
21 fisheries and ocean resource development and man-
22 agement (reef or offshore), aquaculture and fishpond
23 management, land resource development and man-
24 agement (forestry, agriculture, or land use plan-
25 ning), low-cost housing, alternative transportation

1 (wind and solar driven land or sea transportation),
2 pollution control and recycling.

3 (d) DEFINITIONS.—For the purpose of this section—

4 (1) the term “institution of higher education”
5 has the same meaning given to such term by section
6 1201(a) of the Higher Education Act of 1965; and

7 (2) the term “secondary school” has the same
8 meaning given to such term by section 1471(21) of
9 the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of
10 1965.

11 (e) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
12 are authorized to be appropriated \$2,000,000 for each of
13 the fiscal years 1994, 1995, and 1996 to carry out this
14 Act, of which—

15 (1) \$1,000,000 shall be available in each such
16 fiscal year to carry out subsection (b); and

17 (2) \$1,000,000 shall be available in each such
18 fiscal year to carry out subsection (c).

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