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A BILL

To extend and amend the Library Services and Construction Act, and for other purposes.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; REFERENCES.
4 (a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the
5 “Library Services and Construction Act Amendments of
6 1989”.
7 (b) REFERENCES.—References in this Act to “the Act”
8 are references to the Library Services and Construction Act
9 (20 U.S.C. 351 et seq.).
SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

Section 3 of the Act is amended—

(1) in paragraph (2)—

(A) by striking "and initial equipment" and inserting "and for the purchase, lease, and installation of equipment";

(B) by striking "to conserve energy" and inserting "to ensure safe working environments and to conserve energy"; and

(C) by striking "includes machinery" and inserting "includes information and building technologies, video and telecommunications equipment, machinery"; and

(2) by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraphs:

"(17) The term 'handicapped individual' means an individual who is physically or mentally impaired, visually impaired, or hearing impaired.

"(18) The term 'network' means any local, statewide, regional, or interstate cooperative association of library entities which provide for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of school, public, academic, and special libraries and information centers for improved supplementary services for the clientele served by each type of library entity."
SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

(a) AMENDMENT.—Section 4(a) of the Act is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 4. (a) There are authorized to be appropriated—

"(1) for the purpose of making grants as provided in title I, $100,000,000 for fiscal year 1990 and such sums as may be necessary for each of the 4 succeeding fiscal years;

"(2) for the purpose of making grants as provided in title II, $55,000,000 for fiscal year 1990 and such sums as may be necessary for each of the 4 succeeding fiscal years;

"(3) for the purpose of making grants as provided in title III, $35,000,000 for fiscal year 1990 and such sums as may be necessary for each of the 4 succeeding fiscal years;

"(4) for the purpose of making grants as provided in title V, $1,000,000 for fiscal year 1990 and such sums as may be necessary for each of the 4 succeeding fiscal years;

(5) for the purpose of making grants as provided in title VI, $10,000,000 for fiscal year 1990 and such sums as may be necessary for each of the 4 succeeding fiscal years; and

"(6) for the purpose of activities as provided in title VII, $500,000 for fiscal year 1990, and such
sums as may be necessary each of the 4 succeeding fiscal years.

There shall be available for the purpose of making grants under title IV for each of the fiscal years 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, and 1994, 1.5 percent of the amount appropriated pursuant to each of paragraphs (1), (2), and (3) for each such fiscal year. There shall be available for the purpose of making grants under section 5(d) for such fiscal years 0.5 percent of the amount appropriated pursuant to each of such paragraphs for each such fiscal year.”.

(b) CARRYOVER OF FUNDS.—Section 4(b) of the Act is amended by striking “and for the next succeeding fiscal year” and inserting “and is authorized to remain available until expended”.

SEC. 4. ALLOCATIONS.

(a) AMENDMENT.—Section 5(c) of the Act is amended to read as follows:

“(c)(1) From one-half of the sums available pursuant to the second sentence of section 4(a) for any fiscal year, the Secretary shall allot an equal amount to each Indian tribe that submits an approved application under section 403.

“(2) From the remaining one-half of the sums available pursuant to such second sentence, the Secretary shall make allocations to Indian tribes that (A) are receiving an allocation under paragraph (1) of this subsection for such fiscal
year; and (B) have submitted approved applications under
section 404.

"(3) In making allocations under paragraph (2)—

"(A) no funds shall be allocated to an Indian tribe
unless such funds will be administered by a librarian;
and

"(B) the Secretary shall take into account the
needs of Indian tribes for such allocations to carry out
the activities described in section 402(b).

"(4) In making allocations under this subsection, the
Secretary shall take such actions as may be necessary to pre-
vent an allocation from being received to serve the same pop-
ulation by any two or more of the following entities as de-
defined in, or established pursuant to, the Alaska Native Claims
Settlement Act:

"(A) an Alaskan native village,

"(B) a regional corporation, or

"(C) a village corporation.".

(b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 6(g)(2) of the
Act is amended by inserting after “section 5(c)(2)” the fol-
lowing: “in the same fiscal year in which it has received an
allocation under section 5(c)(1)”.

SEC. 5. RESOURCE SHARING COORDINATION.

Section 6 of the Act is amended—
(1) in subsection (d)(1), by striking "and construc-

tion" and inserting "construction, and interlibrary co-

operation and resource sharing"; and

(2) by adding at the end thereof the following new

subsection:

"(h) The Secretary shall coordinate programs under
titles V and VI of this Act with the programs assisted by
titles I, II, and III of this Act, and shall provide to the head
of the State library administrative agency the opportunity to
comment on any application for a grant under title V or VI of
this Act prior to the awarding of the grant, in order to assure
that such grants from the Secretary are for purposes consist-
ent with the long-range program required under subsection
(d) of this section."

SEC. 6. MAINTENANCE OF EFFORT.

Section 7 of this Act is amended—

(1) by redesignating subsections (b) and (c) as sub-

sections (c) and (d), respectively; and

(2) by inserting after subsection (a) the following

new subsection:

"(b) In fiscal year 1990, and every fifth fiscal year
thereafter, each State library agency may review its expendi-
tures in the second fiscal year preceding fiscal year for which
the determination is made under the programs from State and
local sources and file with the Secretary a statement to es-
1 establish a current, revised expenditure level to be used for
2 measuring the maintenance of effort required under subsec-
3 tions (a)(1)(B) and (a)(2).”.

4 SEC. 7. INTERGENERATIONAL LIBRARY SERVICES.
5 Section 101 of the Act is amended—
6 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (5) and (6) as
7 paragraphs (8) and (9), respectively; and
8 (2) by inserting after paragraph (4) the following
9 new paragraph:
10 “(5) for assisting libraries in developing intergenera-
11 tional library programs that will match older adult
12 volunteers with libraries interested in developing after
13 school literacy and reading skills programs for unsuper-
14 vised school children during afterschool hours;”.

15 SEC. 8. CHILDCARE LIBRARY OUTREACH.
16 Section 101 of the Act is further amended by inserting
17 after paragraph (5) the following new paragraph:
18 “(6) for assisting libraries in providing mobile li-
19 brary services and programs to licensed or certified
20 child-care providers or child-care centers;”.

21 SEC. 9. LIBRARY LITERACY CENTERS.
22 Section 101 of the Act is further amended by inserting
23 after paragraph (6) the following new paragraph:
24 “(7) to establish and support model library liter-
25 acy centers, coordinated by the State library adminis-
trative agency with other interested State agencies and nonprofit organizations to reduce the number of functionally illiterate individuals and to help them reach full employment;”.

SEC. 10. USE OF TITLE I FUNDS.

Section 102(a) of the Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new sentence: “In carrying out its program to accomplish the purposes of this title, a State may make subgrants to library systems or networks which include libraries other than public libraries, if the purpose of the subgrant is to improve services for public library patrons”.

SEC. 11. RATABLE REDUCTIONS OF MAJOR URBAN RESOURCE LIBRARIES.

Section 102(c) of the Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

“(3) No State shall, in carrying out the provisions of paragraph (2) of this subsection, reduce the amount paid to any major urban resource library below the amount that such library received in the year preceding the year for which the determination is made under such paragraph (2), except that such amount shall be ratably reduced to the extent that the total Federal allocations to the State under section 5 for purposes of this title for the applicable fiscal year are reduced or
that the 1990 Census shows the population of the city
served by such library has decreased.”.

SEC. 12. STATE ANNUAL PROGRAM.

Section 103 of the Act is amended—

(1) in paragraph (3), by striking “and institutional-
ized individuals”;

(2) in paragraph (4)—

(A) by striking “(A)”;

(B) by striking everything following “elder-
ly” the first place it appears and inserting a semi-
colon; and

(3) by striking paragraph (5) and inserting the fol-
lowing:

“(5) describe the uses of funds to make library
services and programs more accessible to handicapped
individuals.”.

SEC. 13. TECHNOLOGY ENHANCEMENT.

(a) DEFINITION.—Section 3 of the Act is further
amended by adding at the end thereof the following new
paragraph:

“(19) The term ‘technology enhancement’ means
the acquisition, installation, maintenance, or replace-
ment, of substantial technological equipment (including
library bibliographic automation equipment) necessary
to provide access to information in electronic and other
(b) Use of Title I Funds.—Section 101 of the Act is further amended—

(1) by striking "and" at the end of paragraph (8) (as redesignated by section 7(1));

(2) by striking the period at the end of paragraph (9) (as redesignated by section 7(1)) and inserting "; and"

(3) by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"(10) for assisting public libraries in making effective use of technology to improve library and information services."

(c) Use of Title II Funds.—Title II of the Act is amended—

(1) by inserting "AND TECHNOLOGY ENHANCEMENT" after "CONSTRUCTION" in the heading of such title;

(2) by inserting "AND LIBRARY AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ENHANCEMENT" after "CONSTRUCTION" in the head of section 201;

(3) by inserting "and technology enhancement" after "construction" each place it appears in sections 201, 202(a), 202(b), 203(1), 203(2), and 203(3);
(4) by striking "section 3(2)" in section 202(a) and inserting "sections 3(2) and 3(19), respectively"; and

(5) by inserting "AND TECHNOLOGY ENHANCEMENT" after "CONSTRUCTION" in the heading of section 203.

(d) USE OF TITLE III FUNDS.—Section 302(a) of the Act is amended—

(1) by striking "and" at the end of paragraph (1); and

(2) by inserting before the period at the end of paragraph (2) the following: "; and (3) developing the technological capacity of libraries for interlibrary cooperation and resource sharing".

SEC. 14. PRESERVATION OBJECTIVES IN CONSTRUCTION.

Section 203 of the Act is amended—

(1) by striking the period at the end of paragraph (4) and inserting "; and"; and

(2) by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"(5) follow policies and procedures in the construction of public libraries that will promote the preservation of library and information resources to be utilized in the facilities.”.
1 SEC. 15. RESOURCE SHARING.

2 Sections 301 and 304(a) of the Act are amended by
3 striking "eventual" and inserting "attaining".

4 SEC. 16. PRESERVATION COOPERATION.

5 Title III of the Act is amended by adding at the end
6 thereof the following new section:

7 "PRESERVATION PROGRAMS

8 "Sec. 305. (a) The long-range program and annual pro-
9 gram of each State under this title may—

10 (1) include a statewide preservation cooperation
11 plan that complies with this section; and
12 (2) identify the preservation objectives to be
13 achieved during the period covered by the long-range
14 plans required by section 6.
15 (b) A statewide preservation cooperation plan complies
16 with this section if—
17 (1) such plan specifies the methods by which the
18 State library administrative agency will work with li-
19 braries, archives, historical societies, scholarly organi-
20 zations, and other agencies, within or outside the
21 State, in planning, education and training, coordinat-
22 ing, outreach and public information, and service pro-
23 grams to ensure that endangered library and informa-
24 tion resources are preserved systematically; and
25 "(2) such preservation plan is developed in consul-
26 tation with such parties and agencies as the State ar-
chives, historical societies, libraries, scholarly organizations, and other interested parties.

"(c) A State that has a statewide preservation cooperation plan that complies with this section may use funds under this title to carry out such plan.

"(d) The State library administrative agency may contract part or all of the preservation program under this section to other agencies or institutions."

SEC. 17. LIBRARY LITERACY GRANTS.
Section 601(e) of the Act is amended by striking "$25,000" and inserting "$35,000".

SEC. 18. EVALUATION AND ASSESSMENT.
(a) AMENDMENT.—The Act is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following new title:

"TITLE VII—EVALUATION AND ASSESSMENT

"PROGRAM AUTHORITY

"Sec. 701. The Secretary is authorized to carry out a program for the purpose of evaluation and assessment (directly or by grants or contracts) of programs authorized under this Act."

(b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 5(a) of the Act is amended by striking out paragraph (5).
1 SEC. 19. PUBLIC LIBRARY SERVICES.
2 (a) TITLE I HEADING.—The heading of title I of the
3 Act is amended by inserting “PUBLIC” before “LIB-
4 BRARY”.
5 (b) SECTION 101 HEADING.—The heading of section
6 101 is amended by inserting “PUBLIC” before “LIBRARY”.
7 SEC. 20. EFFECTIVE DATE PROVISION.
8 The amendments made by this Act shall take effect on
9 October 1, 1989.