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AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Calendar No. \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: To add provisions relating to the Constitution bicentennial education program, the income contingent direct loan demonstration project, and certain resource authorizations, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—100th Cong., 1st Sess.

**S. J. RES. 26**

To authorize and request the President to call a White House Conference on Library and Information Services to be held not later than 1989, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_  
and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENTS intended to be proposed by Mr. PELL (for himself and Mr. STAFFORD)

Viz:

1 On page 11, between lines 8 and 9, insert the follow-  
2 ing:

3 TITLE I—WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON  
4 LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES

5 On page 11, line 10, strike out "SECTION 1." and  
6 insert in lieu thereof "SEC. 101."

1        On page 11, line 15, strike out “SEC. 2.” and insert in  
2 lieu thereof “SEC. 102.”.

3        On page 13, line 13, strike out “SEC. 3.” and insert in  
4 lieu thereof “SEC. 103.”.

5        On page 15, line 14, strike out “SEC. 4.” and insert in  
6 lieu thereof “SEC. 104.”.

7        On page 16, line 4, strike out “SEC. 5.” and insert in  
8 lieu thereof “SEC. 105.”.

9        On page 17, line 24, strike out “SEC. 6.” and insert in  
10 lieu thereof “SEC. 106.”.

11       On page 18, line 10, strike out “Conference” the  
12 second time it appears and insert in lieu thereof “Commis-  
13 sion”.

14       On page 18, line 14, strike out “SEC. 7.” and insert in  
15 lieu thereof “SEC. 107.”.

16       On page 18, line 25, strike out “SEC. 8.” and insert in  
17 lieu thereof “SEC. 108.”.

1 On page 19, after line 6, insert the following:

2 TITLE II—CONSTITUTIONAL BICENTENNIAL

3 EDUCATION PROGRAM

4 TEACHER TRAINING AMENDMENT

5 SEC. 201. Section 501(c)(1) of the Arts, Humanities,  
6 and Museums Amendments of 1985 is amended—

7 (1) by striking out “\$5,000,000 for each of the  
8 fiscal years 1987 and 1988,” and inserting in lieu  
9 thereof “\$8,000,000 for each of the fiscal years”;  
10 and

11 (2) by inserting before the period at the end  
12 thereof a comma and the following: “of which at  
13 least \$3,000,000 in each fiscal year shall be reserved  
14 for elementary and secondary teacher training and  
15 retraining programs in history, geography, and other  
16 related disciplines in the social sciences and human-  
17 ities designed to enhance understanding of the Con-  
18 stitution.

19 TITLE III—HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAM

20 INCOME CONTINGENT DIRECT LOAN DEMONSTRATION PROJECT

21 SEC. 301. (a) NEW AGREEMENTS AND CONSORTIA.—

22 Section 452(c)(2) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 is  
23 amended—

24 (1) by inserting “(A)” after the paragraph des-  
25 ignation; and

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

3           “(B) The Secretary may, in any fiscal year beginning  
4           after September 30, 1988, in which the appropriation to  
5           carry out the provisions of this part exceeds \$5,000,000,  
6           enter into agreements with an additional 10 institutions of  
7           higher education. Any agreement entered into under this  
8           subparagraph may include consortia of such institutions if  
9           the participating institutions of higher education are locat-  
10          ed in the same State.”.

11          (b) INSTITUTIONAL PAYMENT OF IN-SCHOOL INTER-  
12          EST.—Section 453(5) of the Higher Education Act of 1965  
13          is amended—

14                 (1) by striking out “and” at the end of subpara-  
15                 graph (B);

16                 (2) by adding “and” at the end of subparagraph  
17                 (C); and

18                 (3) by adding at the end thereof the following  
19                 new subparagraph:

20                         “(D) at the option of the institution, pay-  
21                         ment, from the institution’s capital contribution  
22                         described in paragraph (3), to cover the interest  
23                         that accrues on loans made by such institution  
24                         to students, during the period such students are

1 attending the institution on at least a half-time  
2 basis;”.

3 (c) GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT ELIGIBIL-  
4 ITY.—(1) Section 454(a)(2) of the Higher Education Act of  
5 1965 is amended by striking out “\$17,500” and inserting  
6 in lieu thereof “\$17,500 in the case of an undergraduate  
7 student (as defined in accordance with the regulations of  
8 the Secretary), and \$44,500 in the case of a graduate or  
9 professional student (as defined in accordance with the  
10 regulations of the Secretary and including any loans from  
11 such funds made to such student before the student became  
12 a graduate or professional student)”.

13 (2) Section 454(a)(3) of the Higher Education Act of  
14 1965 is amended—

15 (A) by striking out “and” at the end of sub-  
16 paragraph (B);

17 (B) by striking out the period at the end of sub-  
18 paragraph (C) and inserting in lieu thereof a semi-  
19 colon and “and”; and

20 (C) by adding at the end thereof the following  
21 new subparagraph:

22 “(D) \$10,000 in the case of a graduate or pro-  
23 fessional student, as defined in accordance with the  
24 regulations of the Secretary.”.

1 (d) INTEREST RATE.—(1) Section 454(a)(4)(A) of the  
2 Higher Education Act of 1965 is amended to read as fol-  
3 lows:

4 “(A) The interest rate on loans under this part shall  
5 be computed in accordance with subparagraph (B), based  
6 on the interest rate computed for the calendar year in  
7 which the loan was made, and fixed over the life of the  
8 loan.”.

9 (2) Section 454(a)(4)(B)(ii) of the Higher Education  
10 Act of 1965 is amended by striking out “3 percent” and  
11 inserting in lieu thereof “one-half of 1 percent”.

12 (e) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this  
13 section shall be effective for loans made to cover periods  
14 of instruction beginning on or after July 1, 1988.

15 INFORMATION ON DEFAULTS REQUIRED

16 SEC. 302. (a) GENERAL RULE.—The first sentence of  
17 section 428(k)(1) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 is  
18 amended—

19 (1) by striking out “In” and inserting in lieu  
20 thereof “Notwithstanding any other provision of law,  
21 in”; and

22 (2) by striking out “may” and inserting in lieu  
23 thereof “shall”.

24 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The second sentence  
25 of section 428(k)(1) of such Act is amended by striking  
26 out “may” and inserting in lieu thereof “shall”.

1 TECHNICAL AMENDMENT CONCERNING TEACHER TRAINING

2 PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY FOR GSL PROGRAM

3 SEC. 303. Section 484 of the Higher Education Act of  
4 1965 is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (a)(1), by striking out “sub-  
6 section (b)(2)” and inserting in lieu thereof “subsec-  
7 tions (b)(2) and (b)(3)”; and

8 (2) by adding at the end of subsection (b) the  
9 following new paragraph:

10 “(3) A student who—

11 “(A) is carrying at least one-half the normal  
12 full-time work load for the course of study the stu-  
13 dent is pursuing, as determined by the institution,  
14 and

15 “(B) is enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a  
16 program at an eligible institution leading to a profes-  
17 sional credential or certification from a State that is  
18 required for employment as a teacher in an elemen-  
19 tary or secondary school in that State,

20 shall be, notwithstanding paragraph (1) of subsection (a),  
21 eligible to apply for loans under part B of this title.”.



## 1 TITLE IV—LIBRARY AND EDUCATION RESOURCE

## 2 AUTHORIZATIONS

## 3 WASHINGTON LIBRARY CONSORTIUM

4 SEC. 401. (a) GENERAL AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of  
5 Education is authorized to provide financial assistance, in  
6 accordance with the provisions of this section, to the  
7 Washington Library Consortium for the purpose of con-  
8 structing and equipping a facility in Prince George's  
9 County, Maryland, that would link by computer eight uni-  
10 versity libraries (located at American University, George-  
11 town University, George Washington University, Catholic  
12 University, George Mason University, Gallaudet Universi-  
13 ty, Marymount University, and the University of the Dis-  
14 trict of Columbia) and provide central storage for the rare  
15 books of the participating institutions of higher education.

16 (b) APPLICATION.—No financial assistance may be  
17 made under this section unless an application is submitted  
18 to the Secretary of Education at such time, in such manner,  
19 and containing or accompanied by such information as the  
20 Secretary may reasonably require.

21 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There are  
22 authorized to be appropriated \$5,500,000 to carry out the  
23 provisions of this section. Funds appropriated pursuant to  
24 this section shall remain available until expended.

1 VERMONT HIGHER EDUCATION COUNCIL

2 SEC. 402. (a) GENERAL AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of  
3 Education is authorized to provide financial assistance, in  
4 accordance with the provisions of this section, to the Ver-  
5 mont Higher Education Council located in Hyde Park,  
6 Vermont, for development activities for faculty at institu-  
7 tions of higher education which are members of the Ver-  
8 mont Higher Education Council designed to address and  
9 overcome professional isolation experienced by such facul-  
10 ty members.

11 (b) APPLICATION REQUIRED.—No financial assistance  
12 may be made under this section unless an application is  
13 submitted to the Secretary of Education at such time, in  
14 such manner, and containing or accompanied by such in-  
15 formation as the Secretary may reasonably require.

16 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATION.—There are au-  
17 thorized to be appropriated \$1,000,000 to carry out the  
18 provisions of this section. Funds appropriated pursuant to  
19 this section shall remain available until expended.

20 HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES CENTER AUTHORIZED.

21 SEC. 403. (a) GENERAL AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of  
22 Education is authorized, in accordance with the provisions  
23 of this section, to provide financial assistance to Voorhees  
24 College, located in Denmark, South Carolina, to pay the  
25 cost of construction and related costs for a Health and  
26 Human Resources Center at Voorhees College.

1       (b) APPLICATION REQUIRED.—No financial assistance  
2 may be made under this section unless an application is  
3 made at such time, in such manner, and containing or ac-  
4 companied by such information, as the Secretary may rea-  
5 sonably require.

6       (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There are  
7 authorized to be appropriated such sums, not to exceed  
8 \$4,500,000, as may be necessary to carry out the provi-  
9 sions of this section. Funds appropriated pursuant to this  
10 section shall remain available until expended.

11                   JOHN F. KENNEDY PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY

12       SEC. 404. (a) GENERAL AUTHORITY.—The Archivist of  
13 the United States is authorized to provide financial assist-  
14 ance, in accordance with the provisions of this section, to  
15 the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library in Dorchester,  
16 Massachusetts, for additional on-site archival space, and  
17 access facilities and auditorium and meeting space.

18       (b) APPLICATION REQUIRED.—No financial assistance  
19 may be made under this section unless an application is  
20 submitted to the Archivist at such time, in such manner,  
21 and containing or accompanied by such information as the  
22 Archivist may reasonably require.

23       (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There are  
24 authorized to be appropriated \$2,200,000 to carry out the  
25 provisions of this section. Funds appropriated pursuant to  
26 this section shall remain available until expended.

1 UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI LAW LIBRARY

2 SEC. 405. (a) GENERAL AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of  
3 Education is authorized to provide financial assistance, in  
4 accordance with the provisions of this section, to the Uni-  
5 versity of Mississippi Law School for the renovation and  
6 completion of the library facilities of the University of  
7 Mississippi Law School at Oxford, Mississippi.

8 (b) APPLICATION REQUIRED.—No financial assistance  
9 may be made under this section unless an application is  
10 submitted to the Archivist at such time, in such manner,  
11 and containing or accompanied by such information as the  
12 Archivist may reasonably require.

13 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There are  
14 authorized to be appropriated \$2,200,000 to carry out the  
15 provisions of this section. Funds appropriated pursuant to  
16 this section shall remain available until expended.