

118TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

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To amend the National Agricultural Research, Extension, and Teaching Policy Act of 1977 to extend education grant programs for Alaska Native serving institutions and Native Hawaiian serving institutions, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Ms. HIRONO introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

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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.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Parity for Alaska Na-  
5       tive and Native Hawaiian Students in Agriculture Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EDUCATION GRANTS TO ALASKA NATIVE SERVING**  
2 **INSTITUTIONS AND NATIVE HAWAIIAN SERV-**  
3 **ING INSTITUTIONS.**

4 Section 1419B of the National Agricultural Research,  
5 Extension, and Teaching Policy Act of 1977 (7 U.S.C.  
6 3156) is amended—

7 (1) in subsection (a)—

8 (A) by redesignating paragraph (3) as  
9 paragraph (4);

10 (B) by inserting after paragraph (2) the  
11 following:

12 “(3) GRANT PERIOD.—A grant made under this  
13 subsection shall be for a period of not more than 3  
14 years.”; and

15 (C) in paragraph (4) (as so redesignated),  
16 by striking “\$10,000,000 in fiscal years 2001  
17 through 2023” and inserting “\$10,000,000 for  
18 fiscal year 2023 and \$15,000,000 for each of  
19 fiscal years 2024 through 2028”; and

20 (2) in subsection (b)—

21 (A) by redesignating paragraph (3) as  
22 paragraph (4);

23 (B) by inserting after paragraph (2) the  
24 following:

1           “(3) GRANT PERIOD.—A grant made under this  
2           subsection shall be for a period of not more than 3  
3           years.”; and

4                   (C) in paragraph (4) (as so redesignated),  
5           by striking “\$10,000,000 for each of fiscal  
6           years 2001 through 2023” and inserting  
7           “\$10,000,000 for fiscal year 2023 and  
8           \$15,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2024  
9           through 2028”.