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To provide for the establishment of a School Security Technology Center and to authorize grants for local school security programs, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 7, 1999

Mrs. WILSON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 "Safe School Security5 Act of 1999".

6 SEC. 2. ESTABLISHMENT OF SCHOOL SECURITY TECH7 NOLOGY CENTER.

8 (a) School Security Technology Center.—

1 (1) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Attorney General, 2 the Secretary of Education, and the Secretary of 3 Energy shall enter into an agreement for the estab-4 lishment at the Sandia National Laboratories, in 5 partnership with the National Law Enforcement and 6 Corrections Technology Center—Southeast, of a cen-7 ter to be known as the "School Security Technology 8 Center". The School Security Technology Center 9 shall be administered by the Attorney General.

10 (2) FUNCTIONS.—The School Security Tech-11 nology Center shall be a resource to local edu-12 cational agencies for school security assessments, se-13 curity technology development, technology avail-14 ability and implementation, and technical assistance 15 relating to improving school security. In addition, 16 the Center shall provide a free information service, 17 using print, electronic media, and the Internet, for 18 schools, principals, school security officers, parent-19 teacher associations, and community safety groups, 20 regarding comprehensive technical or non-technical 21 measures to improve security.

(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There isauthorized to be appropriated to carry out this section—

 $24 (1) \$3,600,000 ext{ for fiscal year } 2000;$

(2) \$3,700,000 for fiscal year 2001; and

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(3) \$3,800,000 for fiscal year 2002.

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2 SEC. 3. INFORMATION SERVICES FOR SAFETY.

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3 Section 4116(a)(1)(B) of the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1994 (20 U.S.C. 4 7116(a)(1)(B)) is amended by inserting after "safety" the 5 following: "and include the establishment or expansion of 6 7 a free information service, using print, electronic media, and the Internet, for parents, principals, school security 8 officers, parent-teacher associations, and community safe-9 ty groups regarding comprehensive technical and non-10 11 technical measures to improve safety".

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