

107TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2469

To amend section 171(b)(1)(D) the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to provide for training service and delivery innovation grants.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 7, 2002

Ms. CANTWELL introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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. TRAINING SERVICE AND DELIVERY INNOVA-**
4 **TION GRANTS.**

5 Section 171(b)(1)(D) of the Workforce Investment
6 Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 2916(b)(1)(D)) is amended to
7 read as follows:

8 “(D) targeted innovations that improve ac-
9 cess and delivery of training and employment
10 services, with emphasis given to projects that

1 incorporate advanced technologies to facilitate
2 the connection of individuals to the information
3 and tools they need to upgrade skills, including
4 projects that link individuals in need of training
5 to opportunities for self-guided learning, and
6 with priority given to projects that—

7 “(i) actively promote sources of infor-
8 mation about training opportunities and
9 training content by providing technology
10 directly to the eligible training recipient;

11 “(ii) provide for the conduct of online
12 eligibility determinations for State and
13 Federal training programs, and direct indi-
14 viduals to the appropriate programs in the
15 area; and

16 “(iii) integrate high-quality employ-
17 ment and training information with the de-
18 livery of information regarding other social
19 services and health care programs;”.

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