S. 1164

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 6, 2005

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 PROJECTS.
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 innovation projects that im-
9	prove access to and delivery of employment and
10	training services, with emphasis given to

1	projects that incorporate advanced technologies
2	to facilitate the connection of individuals to the
3	information and tools they need to upgrade
4	skills, including projects that link individuals in
5	need of training to opportunities for self-guided
6	learning, and with priority given to projects
7	that—
8	"(i) actively promote sources of infor-
9	mation about training opportunities and
10	training content by providing technology
11	directly to eligible training recipients;
12	"(ii) provide for the conduct of online
13	eligibility determinations for Federal and
14	State training programs, and direct indi-
15	viduals to the appropriate programs in the
16	area; and
17	"(iii) integrate high-quality employ-
18	ment and training services information
19	with the delivery of information regarding
20	other social services and health care pro-

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