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To amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to ensure that students are counted by using data from local educational agencies when available.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. GOODLING (for himself, Mr. FORD of Michigan, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. GUNDERSON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

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 “Concentration Grant
5 Targeting and Improvements Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. GRANTS FOR LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCIES WITH**
2 **ESPECIALLY HIGH CONCENTRATIONS OF**
3 **CHILDREN FROM LOW-INCOME FAMILIES.**

4 Section 1006 of the Elementary and Secondary Edu-
5 cation Act of 1965 is amended—

6 (1) in the section heading, by striking “**IN**
7 **COUNTIES**”;

8 (2) in subsection (a)(1)(A)—

9 (A) in the matter preceding clause (i), by
10 striking “county” and inserting “local edu-
11 cational agency”;

12 (B) in clause (i), by striking “in such
13 county”; and

14 (C) in clause (ii), by striking “of local edu-
15 cational agencies in such county” and inserting
16 “of such local educational agencies”;

17 (3) in subsection (a)(2)—

18 (A) in the matter preceding subparagraph
19 (A), by striking “county in which there are local
20 educational agencies” and inserting “local edu-
21 cational agency”;

22 (B) in subparagraph (A)(i), by striking “of
23 a county which qualifies” and inserting “which
24 qualify”; and

1 (C) in subparagraph (A)(ii), by striking
2 “in a county which qualifies” and inserting
3 “which qualify”;

4 (4) in subsection (a)(3)—

5 (A) by striking “county” each place it ap-
6 pears and inserting “local educational agency”;
7 and

8 (B) by striking “counties” and inserting
9 “local educational agencies”;

10 (5) in subsection (a)(4)—

11 (A) by striking “any county” and inserting
12 “any local educational agency”;

13 (B) by striking “of local educational agen-
14 cies in such county” and inserting “of such
15 local educational agencies”; and

16 (C) by striking “for such county” and in-
17 serting “for such local educational agency”;

18 (6) in subsection (a)(5), to read as follows:

19 “(5) In States which receive the minimum
20 grant amount under paragraph (1), the State edu-
21 cational agency shall allocate such funds among the
22 local educational agencies in such State in rank
23 order of their respective concentration and numbers
24 of children from low-income families and in amounts
25 which are consistent with the degree of concentra-

1 tion of poverty, except that only those local edu-
2 cational agencies with concentrations of poverty that
3 exceed the statewide average of poverty shall receive
4 any funds pursuant to the provisions of this para-
5 graph.”; and

6 (7) in subsection (b)(1), by striking “in each
7 county” after “agencies”.

8 **SEC. 3. DETERMINATION OF DATA.**

9 (a) DATA.—If satisfactory data regarding local edu-
10 cational agencies is not available to calculate grant
11 amounts, the Secretary may use data regarding counties
12 or the equivalent units of local government.

13 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—If the data for local edu-
14 cational agencies is available, the amendments made by
15 section 2 of this Act shall take effect on July 1, 1994.

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