

118TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

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To amend the Native American Tourism and Improving Visitor Experience Act to authorize grants to Indian tribes, tribal organizations, and Native Hawaiian organizations, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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\_\_\_\_\_ 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. NATIVE AMERICAN TOURISM GRANT PRO-**  
4 **GRAMS.**

5       The Native American Tourism and Improving Visitor  
6 Experience Act (25 U.S.C. 4351 et seq.) is amended—

7           (1) by redesignating section 6 (25 U.S.C. 4355)  
8       as section 7; and

1           (2) by inserting after section 5 (25 U.S.C.  
2           4354) the following:

3   **“SEC. 6. NATIVE AMERICAN TOURISM GRANT PROGRAMS.**

4           “(a) BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS PROGRAM.—The  
5   Director of the Bureau of Indian Affairs may make grants  
6   to and enter into agreements with Indian tribes and tribal  
7   organizations to carry out the purposes of this Act, as de-  
8   scribed in section 2.

9           “(b) OFFICE OF NATIVE HAWAIIAN RELATIONS.—  
10   The Director of the Office of Native Hawaiian Relations  
11   may make grants to and enter into agreements with Na-  
12   tive Hawaiian organizations to carry out the purposes of  
13   this Act, as described in section 2.

14          “(c) OTHER FEDERAL AGENCIES.—The heads of  
15   other Federal agencies, including the Secretaries of Com-  
16   merce, Transportation, Agriculture, Health and Human  
17   Services, and Labor, may make grants under this author-  
18   ity to and enter into agreements with Indian tribes, tribal  
19   organizations, and Native Hawaiian organizations to carry  
20   out the purposes of this Act, as described in section 2.

21          “(d) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There  
22   is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section  
23   \$35,000,000 for the period of fiscal years 2023 through  
24   2027.”.