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to allow certain grant funds to be used to provide parent education.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 26, 1996

Mr. BIDEN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred
to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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to provide parent education.

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. PARENT EDUCATION SYSTEM.**

4 Section 30201(a)(2) of the Violent Crime Control and
5 Law Enforcement Act of 1994 is amended by adding at
6 the end the following:

7 “(O) Voluntary, comprehensive, and culturally-
8 appropriate home visitor systems that provide
9 parenting education that focuses on parenting skills,
10 child development, child health, and support services

1 for new parents to prevent or decrease the risk of
2 child abuse. To avoid duplication of services, a sys-
3 tem developed pursuant to this paragraph shall be
4 coordinated with other organizations that provide
5 services to children, particularly infants.”.