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# S. 5355

To ensure that the National Advisory Council on Indian Education includes at least 1 member who is the president of a Tribal College or University.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 20, 2024

Mrs. FISCHER (for herself and Mr. TESTER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “National Advisory  
5 Council on Indian Education Improvement Act” or the  
6 “NACIE Improvement Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL ON INDIAN EDU-**  
2 **CATION.**

3 By not later than 180 days after the date of enact-  
4 ment of this Act and notwithstanding any other provision  
5 of section 6141 of the Elementary and Secondary Edu-  
6 cation Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7471), the President shall  
7 ensure that the National Advisory Council on Indian Edu-  
8 cation established under such section includes at least one  
9 member who is a president of a Tribal College or Univer-  
10 sity (as defined in section 316(b) of the Higher Education  
11 Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1059e(b)).

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