

ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT
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on
HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

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I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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In FY 1998, USAID was able to reverse its downward trend in awards made to HBCUs. USAID funding awarded to HBCUs in FY 1998 totaled \$17,298,881, a 61.5% increase and \$6,586,710 above the FY 1997 total of \$10,712,171. USAID awards to HBCUs in FY 1998 continued to be made primarily in two categories: Research and Development, and Student Financial Assistance. The declines that began in both categories in FY 1996, and which continued in FY 1997, were substantially reversed in the Research and Development area but persisted in the Student Financial Assistance category.

USAID funding awarded to HBCUs increased nearly 258% in the Research and Development category, from \$4.9 million in FY 1997 to \$12.7 million in FY 1998. This substantial increase is the result of two major awards made during the fiscal year. In the Student Financial Assistance category, awards to HBCUs declined by more than 20%, from \$5.8 million in FY 1997 to \$4.6 in FY 1998. The FY 1998 decline occurred for many of the same reasons cited in USAID's FY 1996 and FY 1997 HBCU Performance Reports.

USAID's Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Coordinator began work during FY 1998 (for USAID's purposes, MSIs include HBCUs, Hispanic Serving Institutions, and Tribal Colleges and Universities) to increase the participation of HBCUs and other MSIs in USAID programs and activities. The MSI Committee was very active in FY 1998, and this report reflects the positive results of their work in FY 1998. USAID remains committed to increasing the participation of HBCUs in its programs and activities, and USAID hopes that the increase in awards made to HBCUs in FY 1998 will be continued in FY 1999.

COMPARISON OF AWARDS TO HBCUS IN FY 1997 and FY 1998

| Awards to HBCUs | FY 1997 | FY 1998 | Percent Change from FY 1997 to FY 1998 |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---|
| 1. Research and Development | \$ 4,917,801 | \$ 12,674,484 | 257.7% increase |
| 2. Student Financial Assistance | \$ 5,794,370 | \$ 4,624,397 | 20.2% decline |
| Totals | \$ 10,712,171 | \$ 17,298,881 | 61.5% increase |

Awards to all IHEs

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Research and Development | \$161,067,300 | \$160,439,011 | 0.4% decline |
| 2. Student Financial Assistance | \$ 89,365,481 | \$ 72,149,407 | 19.3% decline |
| Totals | \$250,432,781 | \$232,588,418 | 7.1% decline |

| | | |
|--|------|------|
| HBCU Awards as Per Cent of all IHE Awards | 4.3% | 7.4% |
|--|------|------|

Table Summary

Awards to HBCUs were primarily in the areas of research and development (which USAID commonly refers to as technical assistance) and student tuition assistance (which USAID commonly refers to as participant training).

As stated in the Executive Summary, Technical Assistance awards to HBCUs increased 257.7%, from \$4.9 million in FY 1997 to \$12.7 million in FY 1998. This large increase can be attributed, in part, to two major procurements that were awarded to the College Fund/UNCF during FY 1998. Participant training awards to HBCUs declined 20.2%, from \$5.8 million in FY 1997 to \$4.6 million in FY 1998. As indicated in the FY 1996 and FY 1997 HBCU Performance Reports, several factors contributed to this decline. These factors included: 1) the absence of the Gray Amendment legislation beginning in FY 1996 which, among other things, required that at least 10% of all participants be placed at HBCUs; 2) a 19.3% decline in the overall number and dollar value of participants placed at U.S. Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs); and 3) new participant training contracts were signed in FY 1996, and

of the participants at HBCUs, placements at HBCUs have declined.

Overall awards to U.S. IHEs declined 7.1%, from \$250.4 million in FY 1997 to \$232.6 million in FY 1998. Technical assistance awards to all U.S. IHEs declined only 0.4%, from \$161.1 million in FY 1997 to \$160.4 million in FY 1998. However, participant training at U.S. IHEs went down 19.3%, from \$89.4 million in FY 1997 to \$72.1 million in FY 1998. This reduction was similar to the drop in participant training at HBCUs (20.2%).

Summary of USAID FY 1998 Actions to Increase HBCU Participation

In FY 1998, the MSI Coordinator and the MSI Committee engaged in several activities, all geared to increasing awards to HBCUs and other MSIs. These activities were as follows:

1. The Chairperson of the MSI Committee and/or the MSI Coordinator made presentations to practically each USAID regional bureau to solicit the support of missions directors and other senior USAID officers in USAID's efforts to increase the participation of HBCUs and other MSIs.

2. The MSI Coordinator canvassed other Federal Agencies to learn how these agencies are involving HBCUs in their activities in this post-Adarand era. These Federal Agencies included the Department of Defense (DoD), the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

3. USAID explored existing federal regulations and pursued other approaches in an effort to identify mechanisms that can be employed to increase awards to HBCUs and other MSIs.

4. USAID held meetings with the Department of Justice (DoJ) officials to seek their advice and counsel on how USAID could possibly establish programs to benefit HBCUs and other MSIs and implement President Clinton's Executive Orders concerning HBCUs and other MSIs, while adhering to the Adarand decision.

5. The MSI Committee identified several policy changes which, if adopted, could help to increase awards to HBCUs and other MSIs. By the end of FY 1998, the MSI Committee was preparing to make several policy recommendations to the Administrator of USAID.

USAID is hopeful that all of these activities will help to increase awards to HBCUs and other MSIs in FY 1999.

II. USAID SUMMARY AWARDS TABLES

SUMMARY OF TOTAL AWARDS TO HBCUs, BY CATEGORY: FY 19981. U.S. Agency for Int'l Devel.

AGENCY

2. Singleton B. McAllister *Singleton B. McAllister* Chair, MSI Committee
NAME/SIGNATURE OF REPRESENTATIVE TITLE3. TOTAL UNIVERSE OF FUNDS FOR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION
(IHEs) \$232,588,418

| CATEGORY | AWARDS TO IHE+ | AWARDS TO HBCUs* | Awards to HBCUs as % of total Awards to IHE |
|--|----------------|------------------|---|
| 1. Research & Development | \$160,439,011 | \$ 12,674,484 | 7.9% |
| 2. Program Evaluation | | | |
| 3. Training | | | |
| 4. Facilities and Equipment | | | |
| 5. Fellowships, Traineeships, Internships, Recruitment, and IPAs | | | |
| 6. Student Tuition Assistance, Scholarships, and Other Aid | \$ 72,149,407 | \$ 4,624,397 | 6.4% |
| 7. Direct Institutional Subsidies | | | |
| 8. Third Party Awards | | | |
| 9. Private Sector Involvement | | | |
| 10. Administrative Infrastructure | | | |
| 11. Other | | | |
| Total | \$232,588,418 | \$ 17,298,881 | 7.4% |

J. Brian Atwood
Agency Head (Typed)

J. Brian Atwood
AGENCY HEAD SIGNATURE

+IHE = Institutions of Higher Education

*HBCUs = Historically Black Colleges and Universities

USAID FEDERAL AGENCY AWARDS TO INSTITUTIONS
FY 1998

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | IFA | FSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|-----------------------------|---------|----|----------|-----|---------|---------|-----|-----|--------|----|-------|---------|
| ALABAMA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALABAMA A&M | 224,286 | | | | | | | | | | | 224,286 |
| ALABAMA STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BISHOP STATE COMM. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CARVER CAMPUS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CONCORDIA COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FREDD STATE TECH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GADSDEN STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LAWSON STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MILES COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OAKWOOD COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SELMA UNIVERSITY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| J.F. DRAKE TECH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| STILLMAN COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TALLADEGA COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TRENHOLM STATE TECH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TUSKEGEE UNIVERSITY | 662,595 | | | | | 168,080 | | | | | | 830,675 |
| ARKANSAS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ARKANSAS BAPTIST | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PHILANDER SMITH | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SHORTER COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| U. OF ARKANSAS @ PB | 28,639 | | | | | | | | | | | 28,639 |
| DELAWARE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DELAWARE STATE | | | | | | 30,113 | | | | | | 30,113 |
| DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HOWARD UNIVERSITY | 270,000 | | | | 37,481 | 41,603 | | | 99,956 | | | 449,010 |
| UNIV. OF D. C. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | IFA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|----------------------|---------|----|----------|-----|---------|-----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|-------|-----------|
| FLORIDA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BETHUNE COOKMAN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EDWARD WATERS | | | | | | 221,089 | | | | | | 221,089 |
| FLORIDA A&M | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FLORIDA MEMORIAL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GEORGIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALBANY STATE | | | | | 37,481 | 219,228 | | | | | | 777,209 |
| CLARK ATLANTA U. | 520,500 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FORT VALLEY STATE | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | 37,481 |
| MOREHOUSE COLLEGE | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | 411,120 |
| MOREHOUSE MEDICAL | 373,639 | | | | | | | | | | | 37,481 |
| MORRIS BROWN | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | |
| PATNE COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAVANNAH STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SPELMAN COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| KENTUCKY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| KENTUCKY STATE | | | | | | 1,088,695 | | | | | | 1,088,695 |
| LOUISIANA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DILLARD UNIVERSITY | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | 37,481 |
| GRAMBLING STATE | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | 37,481 |
| SOUTHERN U. & A&M | 450,000 | | | | | 76,074 | | | | | | 563,555 |
| SOUTHERN/BATON ROUGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTHERN/NEW ORLEANS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTHERN/SHREVEPORT | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| XAVIER UNIVERSITY | | | | | | 34,470 | | | | | | 34,470 |
| MARYLAND | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOWIE STATE | | | | | | 7,133 | | | | | | 7,133 |
| COPPIN STATE | | | | | | 68,941 | | | | | | 68,941 |
| MORGAN STATE | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | 104,411 |
| U. OF MARYLAND ES | 519,028 | | | | | 75,425 | | | | 99,956 | | 175,381 |

STATE/INSTITUTION R&D PE TRAINING F&E FELLOWS SFA DIS IFA PSI AI OTHER TOTALS

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | IFA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|-----------------------|---------|----|----------|-----|---------|-----------|-----|--------|-----|----|-------|-----------|
| MICHIGAN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LEWIS COLLEGE OF BUS. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MISSISSIPPI | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALCORN STATE | 293,333 | | | | | | | 33,319 | | | | 326,652 |
| COAHOMA JR. COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| RINDS COMM. COLLEGE | | | | | | 627,568 | | 33,319 | | | | 954,221 |
| JACKSON STATE | 293,334 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MARY HOLMES | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MISSISSIPPI VALLEY | | | | | | 6,484 | | | | | | 6,484 |
| RUST COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOUGALOO COLLEGE | 293,333 | | | | | | | 33,318 | | | | 326,651 |
| MISSOURI | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HARRIS STOWE STATE | | | | | 37,481 | 1,198,898 | | | | | | 1,198,898 |
| LINCOLN UNIVERSITY | 406,777 | | | | | 7,133 | | | | | | 451,391 |
| NORTH CAROLINA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BARBER-SCOTIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BENNETT COLLEGE | | | | | | | | 500 | | | | 500 |
| ELIZABETH CITY STATE | 50,000 | | | | | | | | | | | 50,000 |
| FAYETTEVILLE STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| JOHNSON C. SMITH | | | | | 37,481 | | | | | | | 37,481 |
| LIVINGSTONE COLLEGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| N. C. A&T STATE | 194,000 | | | | | | | | | | | 194,000 |
| N. C. CENTRAL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ST. AUGUSTINE | | | | | | 5,836 | | | | | | 5,836 |
| SHAW UNIVERSITY | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WINSTON-SALEM STATE | 250,000 | | | | | | | | | | | 250,000 |
| OHIO | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CENTRAL STATE | | | | | | 132,137 | | | | | | 132,137 |
| WILBERFORCE UNIV. | | | | | | 34,470 | | | | | | 34,470 |
| OKLAHOMA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LANGSTON UNIV. | | | | | | | | 99,956 | | | | 99,956 |

| STATE/INSTITUTION | R&D | PE | TRAINING | F&E | FELLOWS | SFA | DIS | IPA | PSI | AI | OTHER | TOTALS |
|----------------------------|------------------|----|----------|-----|----------------|------------------|-----|----------------|-----|----|-------|-------------------|
| VIRGINIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| HAMPTON UNIV. | | | | | | 149,372 | | | | | | 149,372 |
| NORFOLK STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SAINT PAUL'S | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VIRGINIA STATE | 50,000 | | | | | | | 99,955 | | | | 149,955 |
| VIRGINIA UNION | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WEST VIRGINIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BLUEFIELD STATE | | | | | | 295,040 | | | | | | 295,040 |
| W. VIRGINIA STATE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| UNIV. OF THE V. I. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAND TOTAL | 4,929,464 | | | | 524,734 | 4,624,397 | | 500,279 | | | | 10,578,874 |

CATEGORIES

- R&D - RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT
- PE - PROGRAM EVALUATION
- TRAINING
- F&E - FELLOWSHIP, RECRUITMENT, IPA
- SFA - STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
- DIS - DIRECT INSTITUTIONAL SUBSIDIES
- IPA - THIRD PARTY AWARDEES
- PSI - PRIVATE SECTOR INVOLVEMENT
- AI - ADMINISTRATIVE INFRASTRUCTURE

HUMAN CAPABILITY DEVELOPMENT CENTER
 TRAINET/HAC REPORT
 TRAINEES IN TRAINING AT HBCUs AND MONTHS OF TRAINING DURING FISCAL YEAR 1998 ONLY
 BY TYPE OF TRAINING AND FACILITY

| Facility | Fiscal Year 1998 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|--------|--------------|--------------|---------|--------------|--------------|---------|--------------|--|--|--|
| | Technical | | | Academic | | | Total | | | | | |
| | Participants | Months | Amount* | Participants | Months | Amount* | Participants | Months | Amount* | | | |
| ALLEN UNIV | 1 | 1.0 | \$ 6,484 | | | \$ - | 1 | 1.0 | \$ 6,484 | | | |
| BLUEFIELD STATE COLLEGE | 61 | 45.5 | \$ 295,040 | | | \$ - | 61 | 45.5 | \$ 295,040 | | | |
| BOWIE STATE UNIV | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | | | \$ - | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | | | |
| CENTRAL STATE UNIV | | | \$ - | 5 | 46.0 | \$ 132,137 | 5 | 46.0 | \$ 132,137 | | | |
| CLARK ATLANTA UNIV | 5 | 5.9 | \$ 38,258 | 6 | 63.0 | \$ 180,970 | 11 | 68.9 | \$ 219,228 | | | |
| COPPIN STATE COLL | | | \$ - | 2 | 24.0 | \$ 68,941 | 2 | 24.0 | \$ 68,941 | | | |
| DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | 1 | 8.0 | \$ 22,980 | 2 | 9.1 | \$ 30,113 | | | |
| FLORIDA AGRIC AND MECH UNIV | 2 | 2.2 | \$ 14,266 | 6 | 72.0 | \$ 206,823 | 8 | 74.2 | \$ 221,089 | | | |
| HAMPTON UNIV | | | \$ - | 6 | 52.0 | \$ 149,372 | 6 | 52.0 | \$ 149,372 | | | |
| HARRIS STOWE STATE COLL | 41 | 171.6 | \$ 1,112,721 | 10 | 30.0 | \$ 86,176 | 51 | 201.6 | \$ 1,198,898 | | | |
| HOWARD UNIV | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | 1 | 12.0 | \$ 34,470 | 2 | 13.1 | \$ 41,603 | | | |
| JACKSON STATE UNIV | 2 | 13.1 | \$ 84,946 | 21 | 188.9 | \$ 542,623 | 23 | 202.0 | \$ 627,568 | | | |
| KENTUCKY STATE UNIV | | | \$ - | 48 | 379.0 | \$ 1,088,693 | 48 | 379.0 | \$ 1,088,693 | | | |
| LINCOLN UNIV (MO) | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | | | \$ - | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | | | |
| MORGAN STATE UNIV | | | \$ - | 3 | 23.3 | \$ 66,930 | 3 | 23.3 | \$ 66,930 | | | |
| RUST COLL | 1 | 1.0 | \$ 6,484 | | | \$ - | 1 | 1.0 | \$ 6,484 | | | |
| SHAW UNIV | 1 | 0.9 | \$ 5,836 | | | \$ - | 1 | 0.9 | \$ 5,836 | | | |
| SOUTHERN UNIV A AND M COLL | 1 | 1.1 | \$ 7,133 | 2 | 24.0 | \$ 68,941 | 3 | 25.1 | \$ 76,074 | | | |
| SOUTHERN UNIV A AND M COLL AT SHREVEPORT | | | \$ - | 1 | 12.0 | \$ 34,470 | 1 | 12.0 | \$ 34,470 | | | |
| TENNESSEE STATE UNIV | | | \$ - | 2 | 22.0 | \$ 63,196 | 2 | 22.0 | \$ 63,196 | | | |
| TUSKEGEE UNIV | 6 | 5.1 | \$ 33,070 | 6 | 47.0 | \$ 135,009 | 12 | 52.1 | \$ 168,080 | | | |
| UNIV OF MARYLAND EASTERN SHORE | 1 | 1.0 | \$ 6,484 | 2 | 24.0 | \$ 68,941 | 3 | 25.0 | \$ 75,425 | | | |
| WILBERFORCE UNIV | | | \$ - | 1 | 12.0 | \$ 34,470 | 1 | 12.0 | \$ 34,470 | | | |
| Grand Total | 126 | 252.8 | \$ 1,639,254 | 123 | 1,039.2 | \$ 2,985,144 | 249 | 1,292.0 | \$ 4,624,397 | | | |

* Please note that the cost amounts for fiscal year 1998 were derived from the fiscal year 1995 cost-study report (by David LaMar, Pragma Corporation) and adding a total inflation of 21% since 1995.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AWARDS TO HBCUs IN FY 1998

| BUREAU/ACTIVITY | AMOUNT AWARDED (in \$000s) |
|---|-------------------------------|
| <u>BUREAU FOR AFRICA</u> | |
| Alabama A&M University PARTS Project | 224.3 |
| Howard University EAGER Project | 141.8 |
| Lincoln University (PA) Symposium on Africa | 50.0 |
| Lincoln University (MO) Malawi Ag. Sector Assist. Prog. | 406.8 |
| Morehouse School of Medicine HHRAA Project | 105.2 |
| North Carolina A&T State University PARTS Project | 144.0 |
| Tuskegee University PARTS Project | 112.6 |
| University of Arkansas - Pine Bluff PARTS Project | 10.0 |
| University of Maryland - Eastern Shore AELGA Project | 83.3 |
| PARTS Project | 433.7 |
| The College Fund/UNCF South Africa TELP Project | 5,650.0 |
| Virginia State University Eritrea Field Support: Crop Research | 50.0 |
| Total | <u>\$8,293.7</u> |
| <u>BUREAU FOR ASIA & THE NEAR EAST</u> | |
| Clark Atlanta University University Linkages II Project | 50.0 |
| Elizabeth City State University University Linkages II Project | 50.0 |
| Howard University University Linkages II Project | 50.0 |

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|---|------------------|
| North Carolina A&T State University University Linkages II Project | 50.0 |
| Southern University and A&M College University Linkages Project (two awards) | 450.0 |
| Tuskegee University University Linkages Project (three awards) | 550.0 |
| Winston-Salem State University University Linkages Project | <u>250.0</u> |
| Total | \$1,450.0 |

BUREAU FOR GLOBAL PROGRAMS & FIELD SUPPORT

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Clark Atlanta University BASICS Project | 328.7 |
| Howard University Health Financing & Sustainability Proj. | 210.0 |
| Morehouse School of Medicine Training in Reproductive Health Project | 268.4 |
| University of Arkansas - Pine Bluff Pond Dynamics/Aquaculture CRSP | 18.6 |
| Other HBCU and HBCU-Related Awards | |
| Association Liaison Office (awarded 5 grants to HBCUs with USAID funds) | 499.8 |
| Minority On-Line Information Service | 80.0 |
| Population Research Fellows Program | 524.7 |
| WorldWide WID Fellows Program | 0.5 |
| United Negro College Fund Grant | <u>1,000.0</u> |
| Total | \$ 2,930.7 |
| Grand Total | \$12,674.4 |

III. NARRATIVE AND AWARDS INFORMATION

A. Introduction

This document reports on activities and initiatives involving Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) that were undertaken by the U.S. Agency for International Development in FY 1998. Awards to HBCUs in FY 1998 totaled \$17.3 million. Of this amount, approximately \$4.6 million was awarded for USAID participant training (i.e., Student Tuition Assistance), and \$12.7 million was awarded for research and development and related activities.

Although funding provided by USAID to HBCUs in FY 1998 was 14% below the \$19.8 million that USAID anticipated would be awarded to HBCUs in its FY 1998 Annual Federal Plan, USAID's FY 1998 performance in funding awarded to HBCUs represents nearly a 62% increase above the \$10.7 million that was awarded to HBCUs in FY 1997. USAID was unable to meet its FY 1998 HBCU goal, in large measure, because of the decline in funding for participant training activities at HBCUs. Funding for participant training activities at HBCUs dropped, from \$5.8 million in FY 1997 to \$4.6 million in FY 1998. In addition, the Europe and New Independent States (ENI) and the Latin America and Caribbean (LAC) Bureaus both fell short of the amounts which they had planned to award to HBCUs in FY 1998. It should also be noted that many of the same difficulties which led to declines in awards to HBCUs in FY 1996 and 1997 continued to negatively affect HBCU activity in FY 1998. These difficulties included removal of the Gray Amendment from USAID's appropriations legislation (which began in FY 1996), determining within USAID what could be done with HBCUs in light of the Adarand decision, and the FY 1996 USAID budget cuts (which led missions to fund smaller numbers of long-term participants in FY 1997 and FY 1998. Despite these difficulties, USAID remains committed to increasing the participation of HBCUs in our programs and activities.

B. Overview of USAID

The organizational structure of USAID is the same as it was in FY 1996. There are four regional Bureaus (Africa; Asia and the Near East; Latin America and the Caribbean; and Europe and the New Independent States) and five central Bureaus (Global; Legislative and Public Affairs; Humanitarian Response; Policy and Program Coordination; and Management). USAID now has six goals which encompass our overall program. These Agency goals are: 1) Encouraging Broad-Based Economic Growth; 2) Stabilizing World Population Growth and Protecting Human Health; 3) Protecting the Environment; 4) Building Democracy; 5) Providing Humanitarian Assistance and Aiding in Post Crisis Transition; and 6) Building Human Capacity through Education and Training. Each operating unit (which include overseas missions and USAID offices in Washington that receive program funding) has a strategic plan which includes one or more strategic objectives that must fall within the overall Agency goals. All projects and activities funded by USAID operating units must support the strategic objectives articulated in their approved strategic plan.

C. Summary of USAID Involvement and Accomplishments with Historically Black Colleges and Universities in FY 1998

USAID has benefitted from HBCU involvement in its programs and activities for many years. In FY 1998, HBCU participation in USAID programs and activities included:

- **research and development** (or what USAID commonly refers to as technical assistance activities) primarily in Africa;
- **student tuition assistance** (which USAID commonly refers to as participant training programs) for students from USAID countries. These students went to HBCUs for long and short-term technical and academic training;
- **Fellowships and internships** provided to HBCU graduate and undergraduate students under the Global Bureau's Population Fellows Program's HBCU Initiative.
- **Summer interns** from HBCUs that worked in USAID missions in selected African countries.
- **Participation in the 1998 HBCU Conference** sponsored by the White House Initiative on HBCUs. USAID made a presentation at the 1998 HBCU Conference which focused on Partnerships: Past, Present and Future between HBCUs and USAID. Attendees received information concerning USAID websites and the International Development Partnerships (IDP) program for HBCUs.

Details on USAID's FY 1998 activities with HBCUs for the major operating units that reported on such activities follows.

D. Agency-Wide Activities and Initiatives

1. Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Committee

In FY 1998, USAID's Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Committee held regularly scheduled meetings to discuss current and potential programs, policies and procedures which affect USAID's ability to increase the participation of HBCUs and other MSIs in USAID programs and activities. This Committee, which is chaired by USAID's General Counsel, is comprised of senior level representatives from each of USAID's Bureaus and independent offices. The MSI Committee identified several measures which they believe can increase the participation of HBCUs and other MSIs, and will recommend approval of these measures by USAID's Administrator in FY 1999. The Committee does not make awards to any institutions.

2. Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Coordinator

In November, 1997, a permanent MSI Coordinator took over the responsibilities for data collection, information sharing, and providing advice and guidance to USAID Bureaus and missions in developing activities and initiatives to increase the participation of HBCUs and other MSIs in USAID programs. The MSI Coordinator participated in several HBCU-specific activities in FY 1998:

November, 1997: Participated in two workshops (in San Antonio, TX and Greensboro, NC sponsored by the College Fund/UNCF which focused on USAID programs.

April, 1998: Represented USAID at the NAFEO Conference as a presenter in the International Affairs Workshop.

June, 1998: Represented USAID at the National Sponsored Programs Administrators Alliance.

August, 1998: Participated as a vendor at the NAFEO Presidential Peer Seminar.

September, 1998: Served as a presenter at the HBCU Conference sponsored by the White House Initiative on HBCUs

During FY 1998, the MSI Coordinator was an active participant in the monthly meetings of the White House Initiative on HBCU's International Cluster. Within USAID, the MSI Coordinator worked closely with Human Capacity Development staff members in USAID's Global Bureau (G/HCD) through the entire process of identifying a cooperating institution to implement the International Development Partnerships (IDP) program. Under this program, HBCU linkage grants will be awarded. This individual also held meetings and telephone conversations with representatives from HBCUs (and other MSIs), and referred numerous HBCU officials to other USAID Bureaus and offices for additional information. The MSI Coordinator was responsible for the development and approval of USAID's FY 1999 Annual Federal Plan for HBCUs and the FY 1997 Annual Performance Report on HBCUs which were submitted to the White House Initiative on HBCUs and OMB in FY 1998.

3. The College Fund/UNCF Activity

In FY 1998, the United Negro College Fund (hereinafter referred to as The College Fund/UNCF) completed agreed upon activities under its cooperative agreement with the Global Bureau that began in FY 1995. The College Fund/UNCF activity provided assistance to HBCUs and Hispanic Serving Institutions (HSIs) in expanding their participation in USAID programs. The College Fund/UNCF conducted two workshops in November, 1997 which assisted attendees in: 1) understanding USAID's new results-oriented approach to its activities, 2) refine their grant development skills, and 3) developing strategies for learning more about USAID programs and activities. The College Fund/UNCF also

developed a Guide to USAID for HBCUs and prepared an HBCU/HSI institutional profile for USAID Missions. These activities were successfully completed on December 31, 1997. The College Fund/UNCF also provided USAID with international institutional profiles for 65 HBCU/Hispanic Serving Institutions. These profiles were placed on USAID G/HCD website.

4. The Minority On-Line Information Service (MOLIS)

In FY 1998, USAID provided funding to the Department of Energy for MOLIS to provide on-line information, announcements and services regarding USAID procurement and employment opportunities. USAID has decided to continue this service in FY 1999. **USAID funding for MOLIS in FY 1998 totaled \$80,000.**

E. Bureau Activities and Initiatives

1. Bureau for Global Programs, Field Support and Research

a. Center for Human Capacity Development

1) International Development Partnerships (IDP)

At the NAFEO Conference in March, 1997, USAID announced that \$1.0 million would be provided for grants to HBCUs through the International Development Partnerships (IDP) program. During FY 1998, a request for assistance was issued, selection criteria developed, and the College Fund/UNCF was selected in June 1998, from among five applicants, and awarded a cooperative agreement to administer and manage the IDP program. The \$1.0 million will be used to cover the administrative costs to implement this activity and fund several HBCU linkage grants. USAID anticipates that the initial HBCU linkage grant awards will be announced by the College Fund/UNCF in April, 1999.

2) Institutional Partnerships in Higher Education for International Development

In FY 1998, USAID provided funding, through a cooperative agreement, to the Association Liaison Office (ALO) for linkage grants to be awarded to U.S. Institutions of Higher Education. More specifically, these funds were to be made available to the entire higher education community for linkage grants under Institutional Partnerships in Higher Education for International Development activity. Of the 100 proposals that were submitted to the ALO in FY 1998, 14 were funded. Five of the 14 awards made -- more than one-third of the total -- went to HBCUs. The following is a brief description of the HBCU proposals that were funded:

a) Howard University is working with the University of Transkei in South Africa in producing an emergency medicine internet teaching tool.

b) **Langston University** is working with the Awasa College of Agriculture in Ethiopia to enhance food security and income generation through improved goat production and extension services.

c. **The University of Maryland-Eastern Shore** and the University of Cape Coast in Ghana are collaborating on strengthening tourism as a development tool.

d. **Virginia State University** and the University of Asmara are working to improve food security and income generation through the development of the vernonia crop which has versatile seed utilization.

e. **The Mississippi Consortium for International Development (or MCID, which is comprised of Alcorn State University, Jackson State University, and Tougaloo College)** is assisting the Agostinho Neto University in Angola to improve its institutional capability after many years of civil war.

USAID funding awarded to these HBCUs by the ALO for these linkage grants totaled \$499,779.

3) **Participant Training**

USAID continued to provide training opportunities to individuals from developing countries in professional and technical skills that are necessary to assist in growth and development in the country. USAID experienced a decline in the number of individuals that came to U.S. institutions of higher education (IHEs) for training in FY 1998 as well as in overall funding provided to IHEs. Participants and the associated awards that went to HBCUs in FY 1998 experienced a corresponding decline. Nevertheless, in FY 1998, USAID provided funding of more than \$4.6 million for 249 participants that received training at 23 HBCUs, as compared with \$5.8 million for 295 participants that received training at 26 HBCUs in FY 1997. In FY 1999, USAID hopes to identify ways to increase awards made to HBCUs through participant training activities.

b. **Center for Economic Growth and Agricultural Development**

In FY 1998, the Center for Economic Growth and Agricultural Development made an award to an HBCU that was a participant with another non-HBCU in agricultural research activities under the Center's Collaborative Research Support Program (CRSP). A description of the activity and the involvement of the HBCU follows:

1) **Pond Dynamics/Aquaculture CRSP**

The Pond Dynamics/Aquaculture (PD/A) CRSP conducts research and training activities that will contribute significantly to the removal

of major constraints to aquacultural development, thereby promoting economic growth and increasing food security. The goal of the program is to provide a basis for increasing the development and sustainability of aquacultural production systems in order to improve food supplies and human nutrition on a long-term basis. Implicit in the CRSP's goal are the following missions: (1) to raise small farmers' incomes and increase consumers' welfare by enhancing fish farm productivity; (2) to improve the well-being of the rural poor; and (3) to conserve or enhance the natural resource base.

The PD/A CRSP's research activities focus on the following theme areas: (1) aquaculture production optimization; (2) environmental effects of aquaculture; and (3) social and economic aspects of aquaculture development. To support these research themes, the CRSP also has human capacity development, information and database management components.

The University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff (UAPB) is the center of excellence for aquaculture and fisheries biology in the State of Arkansas. UAPB actively supports Arkansas' \$130 million per year aquaculture industry through its research and extension programs. The PD/A CRSP has been strengthened by UAPB's participation.

With FY 1998 funds, UAPB researchers are conducting one PD/A CRSP-funded investigation which is examining the social and economic aspects returns attributed to PD/A CRSP-generated technologies in Thailand. **Award Amount: \$18,639.**

c. Center for Population, Health and Nutrition

In FY 1998, the Center for Population, Health and Nutrition managed several activities in which HBCUs were involved. Below is a description of each of these activities:

1. Population Fellows Project

The HBCU Initiative of the Population Fellows Program, which began in 1994, is an effort being undertaken by the University of Michigan, with USAID funding. This Initiative supports training, internships and two-year fellowships for students from HBCUs. Students are recruited who excel in their areas of study, have an interest in international family planning or population-environment, and are willing to supplement their graduate programs with training in international health and family planning and/or environmental studies. To increase the group of potential candidates, the program has been expanded to include summer internships to a promising group of undergraduates to introduce these students to the field before they have settled on another career path. Students participated in the program from colleges listed below during FY 1998.

Award Amount: \$524,731.

HBCUs Involved

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| Clark-Atlanta Univ. | Meharry Medical College |
| Dillard University | Morehouse College |
| Fisk University | Morehouse School of Medicine |
| Grambling State Univ. | Morgan State University |
| Howard University | Morris Brown College |
| Johnson C. Smith Univ. | Southern University |
| Lincoln University | Tennessee State University |

2. Training in Reproductive Health Project

Morehouse College of Medicine (MSM)/Office of International Health Programs (OIHP), in partnership with Johns Hopkins Program in International Education in Reproductive Health (JHPIEGO), continued to expand its technical and administrative capabilities. The MSM/JHPIEGO partnership is designed to increase the ability of MSM/OIHP's staff to function as clinical training and educational development consultants. Physicians and nurses with a family background and an interest in international development are recruited to prepare them as international reproductive health technical experts. In FY 1998, a workshop was held in Atlanta, GA to prepare clinical trainers to become advanced trainers and eventually master trainers. The program was expanded to include Charles Drew University to assist Drew with its capacity-building efforts and to help MSM/OIHP to obtain practical project development experience. The program with Charles Drew University will provide another opportunity to increase the presence of HBCUs functioning as providers of technical assistance to international development projects in Africa and Latin America.
Award Amount: \$268,396.

3. Health Financing and Sustainability Project

This activity provides funding to HBCUs through subcontracts under Abt Associates, a private consulting firm. The project supports the provision of technical assistance in the area of health sector reform to selected countries in Africa and Latin America. **Howard University's** participation as a subcontractor increased in FY 1998 to include broader regional health management activities.
Award Amount: \$210,000.

4. Basic Support for Institutionalizing Child Survival (BASICS) Project

BASICS project activities focus on training health care workers in developing countries in the provision of child health care and promotion services. In FY 1998, **Clark-Atlanta University** was engaged in such activities under a subcontract with Partnership for Child Health Care, Inc. **Award Amount: \$328,700.**

2. Bureau for Africa

The Bureau for Africa reported the following major activities which involved HBCUs in FY 1998:

a. Ongoing Activities Involving HBCUs in FY 1998

1) Malawi Agricultural Sector Assistance Program

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to provide technical and institutional support for the establishment of an agricultural policy research unit at the Bunda College of Agriculture. Lincoln University is working with Bunda College of Agriculture on strengthening the capacity of Bunda to carry out policy research on environmental and agricultural issues and to publicize the findings of the research for use by decision-makers.

| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
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| Lincoln University (MO) | \$406,777 |

2) African Emergency Locust and Grasshopper Activity

This activity conducts seminars and provides training and advice on the control of locusts and grasshoppers.

| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
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| University of Maryland - Eastern Shore | \$85,332 |

3) Policy Analysis, Research and Technical Services (PARTS)

Under this project, the University of Maryland-Eastern Shore, North Carolina A&T State University, and Tuskegee University were engaged in activities which included providing analytical, research, and technical services support in agriculture, the environment, and natural resources management assistance in Sub-Saharan Africa. Alabama A&M's research activities focussed on integrating existing and emerging crop and animal production technologies with soil and water resource management options to serve present human needs and preserve resource quality for future generations in Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Chad, and Niger. And the University of Arkansas - Pine Bluff's work under the project included activities to reverse soil acidification, loss of organic matter and the detrimental effects of run-off on food production in Cape Verde, Senegal, the Gambia, and Mali.

| <u>HBCU Awardees</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
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| a. University of Maryland - Eastern Shore | \$433,696 |
| b. North Carolina A&T State University | \$144,010 |
| c. Tuskegee University | \$112,595 |
| d. Alabama A&M University | \$224,286 |

e. **University of Arkansas** \$ 10,000
-Pine Bluff

4) Health and Human Resources Analyses for Africa (HHRRA)

This activity provides technical support in the field of health, primarily family planning and reproductive health in east and southern Africa. In FY 1998, Morehouse School of Medicine continued to provide technical expertise to countries in these regions.

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| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
| Morehouse School of Medicine | \$105,243 |

5) Equity and Growth through Economic Research (EAGER)

This activity supports economic and social science policy analysis in Sub-Saharan Africa. Its primary goal is to increase the availability and use of analytical research by decision-makers in both the public and private sectors to promote the adoption and implementation of policy reforms that foster rapid, equitable, and sustainable growth. Under the Public Strategies for Growth and Equity (PSGE) economic research component of AFR/SD's EAGER project, Howard University has been involved in six economic research activities covering the seven countries of Ghana, Madagascar, Tanzania, Kenya, Senegal, Uganda and Benin. The six areas of economic analysis and research include the following topics: Increasing Labor Demand and Productivity in Ghana; Enhancing Transparency In Tax Administration; The Impact of Financial Sector Reform; Restarting and Sustaining Growth and Development In Africa; The Development of Capital Markets and Growth In Africa; and Competition Policies for Growth: Legal and Regulatory Framework for sub-Saharan African Countries.

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| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
| Howard University | \$141,800 |

6) South Africa Tertiary Education Linkages Project (TELP)

USAID/South Africa's TELP activity promotes the establishment of linkages between South African and U.S.-based colleges and universities for the purposes of upgrading South African university curricula & teaching skills, and expanding its international educational contacts. USAID/South Africa awarded a contract to the College Fund/UNCF in FY 1998 to strengthen programs and faculties of 15 South African Historically Disadvantaged Universities and Technikons in five key areas: student academic development; improvement of administration; upgrading of staff qualifications and skills; curriculum reform in science and engineering; and research.

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| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
| The College Fund/UNCF | \$5,650,000 |

b. New Activities Involving HBCUs in FY 1998

1) Mississippi Consortium for International Development (MCID)

The Mississippi Consortium for International Development (MCID) is engaged in a two-year activity with the goal of increasing grass roots participation in the political and governance process in Angola. MCID's assistance include providing civic and political education for citizens in Bengo, Benguela, Kwanza Sul and Huambo provinces, civic education and curriculum development (with the Ministry of Education), and training primary school teachers in civic education.

| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
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| MCID (Alcorn State, Jackson State and Tougaloo Universities) | \$880,000 |

2) USAID/Eritrea Field Support for Crop Research

USAID/Eritrea utilized Virginia State University's expertise to assist in supporting crop research activities in Eritrea.

| <u>HBCU Awardee</u> | <u>FY 1998 Amount Awarded</u> |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Virginia State University | \$50,000 |

c. Africa Bureau HBCU Summer Intern Program

Although it was not mentioned in previous reports, the Africa Bureau has operated a limited HBCU summer intern program since 1996. It is program which provides primarily graduate students from HBCUs with opportunity to live in an African country and work with a USAID field mission. In FY 1998, an effort was made to expand the program, both in the number of schools that were invited to participate and the number of USAID AFR field missions that accepted interns.

The FY 1998 Africa Bureau HBCU summer intern program generated much interest and enthusiasm from both the institutions of higher learning and from USAID field missions in Africa. It has proven to be a worthwhile, although time-intensive undertaking. The FY 1998 HBCU summer intern program has been "beneficial to both parties," as stated by USAID field mission staff that sponsored interns.

Recruitment for the FY 1998 HBCU summer intern program began with information letters being sent to nearly 50 HBCUs. Eighteen applications were received (two were deemed ineligible). Ten interns were accepted (one declined because of family reasons, another did not receive a security clearance, and a third intern was from a non-HBCU).

Final HBCU placements were as follows:

USAID/Angola: **2 interns from Jackson State University**

USAID/Kenya: **1 intern from Clark-Atlanta University**

Regional Economic **1 intern from Southern University Law Center**
Development Services
Office/East & Southern
Africa (REDSO/ESA,
Nairobi, Kenya)

USAID/South Africa: **1 intern from Florida A&M University**

USAID/Ethiopia: **1 intern from Florida A&M University**

USAID/Madagascar: **1 intern from Morehouse College**

USAID field missions in Africa went far beyond their requirements (which were to provide housing, in-country travel, and a small monthly stipend) in order to assist the students. For example, USAID/Ethiopia contributed the plane fare, USAID/Madagascar split the fare, and USAID/Angola provided a Washington orientation TDY to their two interns. The program proved to be powerful summer experience for the students and very worthwhile for the missions involved.

3. Bureau for Asia and the Near East

The Bureau for Asia and the Near East reported that during FY 1998, USAID/Egypt approved ten (10) grants totalling \$1,450,000 to partnerships between U.S. HBCUs and Egyptian universities under its University Linkages II project. A brief description of the activities follows:

a. Tuskegee University and Suez Canal University for applied research on "The Role of High Yielding Varieties and New Agrotechniques for Improving Oil Crop Productivity in Ismailia Governate." **Award Amount: \$250,000**

b. Southern University and A&M College and Alexandria University for applied research on "Increasing Yield Potential of Canola and Sweet Lupine Through Breeding and Crop Management in Desert Areas." **Award Amount: \$200,000**

c. Howard University and Mansoura University for applied research on "Intelligent Software for Decision Support in Operation and Operation Management of Electric Power Systems." **Award amount: \$50,000**

d. **Tuskegee University** and Cairo University for applied research on "Improvement of the Service Life of Woven and Laminated Polypropylene Sacks Produced by Lasheen Factories."
Award amount: \$50,000

e. **Southern University and A&M College** and Alexandria University for applied research on "Scheduling of Condition Based Preventive Maintenance Using Computer Based On Line Monitoring Network."
Award amount: \$250,000

f. **Tuskegee University** and Suez Canal University for applied research on "The Effect of Some Zoonotic Disease on Animal Productivity and Their Relation to Public Health in Suez Canal Area and North Sinai." **Award amount: \$250,000**

g. **Elizabeth City State University** and Cairo University for applied research on "Computer Aided Education."
Award amount: \$50,000

h. **North Carolina A&T State University** and Menoufia University for applied research on "Primary Health Care Outreach Program Linking University to Community." **Award amount: \$50,000**

i. **Clark-Atlanta University** and Alexandria University for applied research on "Risk of Immunological Disorders Among Workers Exposed to Silica and Other Environmental Pollutants."
Award amount: \$50,000

j. **Winston-Salem State University** and Ain Shams University for applied research on "Integrated Information System to Support Advanced Research and Futurology Studies." **Award amount: \$250,000**

4. Bureau for Europe and the Newly Independent States

The Bureau for Europe and the Newly Independent States (ENI) manages programs in Central Europe and the Newly Independent States of the former Soviet Union. Awards to HBCUs in the ENI Bureau declined, from \$382,484 in FY 1997 to \$236,098 in FY 1998. Participant training continued to be the source of all FY 1998 ENI Bureau activity with HBCUs.

The efforts of the ENI Bureau's MSI Committee should begin to pay off in FY 1999. There are two HBCU initiatives which have been under discussion with ENI Missions in FY 1998 but have not yet led to awards. The ENI Bureau's MSI Committee is supporting these discussions and is hopeful that they will result in awards in FY 1999.

5. Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean

The Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) continued its successful collaboration with HBCUs through the Cooperative Association of States for Scholarship (CASS) regional participant training program, which is administered by Georgetown University. During the calendar year of 1998, CASS managed 5 different groups of students who were enrolled at two HBCUs: Harris-Stowe State College in St. Louis, Missouri, and Kentucky State University in Frankfort, Kentucky. A total of 64 CASS students were enrolled at these HBCUs in 1998. **USAID funding which supported these students in FY 1998 (either completely or partially from 5 different sub-agreements) totaled \$726,500.** The breakdown is as follows:

Harris-Stowe State College - St. Louis, MO

GROUP 1 (Six Months)

No. & Who: 18 Central American Teachers of Math and Science
Field of Study: Secondary School Skills Upgrading in Math and Science
Period: January - June 1998
Funding: \$1,350 per student per month for a total of \$145,800

GROUP 2 (Six Months)

No. & Who: 18 Haitian School Administrators
Field of Study: Management Training for School Administrators
Period: July - December 1998
Funding: \$1,225 per student per month for a total of \$132,300

Total funding to Harris-Stowe State College for 1998: \$278,100.

Kentucky State University - Frankfort, KY

GROUP 1 (Two Years)

No. & Who: 16 Cycle 96 CASS two-year Scholars from Central America and the Caribbean
Field of Study: Electronics Technology
Period: January - July 1998
Funding: \$1,150 per student per month for a total of \$128,800

GROUP 2 (Two Years)

No. & Who: 16 Cycle 97 CASS two-year Scholars from Central America and the Caribbean
Field of Study: Electronics Technology
Period: January - December 1998
Funding: \$1,175 per student per month for a total of \$225,600

GROUP 3 (Two Years)

No. & Who: 16 Cycle 98 CASS two-year Scholars from Central America
and Caribbean

Field of Study: Electronic Technology/Computer Repair

Period: August - December 1998

Funding: \$1,175 per student per month for a total of \$94,000

Total Funding to Kentucky State University for 1998: \$448,400.