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NCBPS Technical Report

The 14th Annual National Conference of Black Physics Students (NCBPS) was hosted by North Carolina Agricultural and Technical (A&T) State University March 16-19, 2000. A&T is located in Greensboro, North Carolina. This was the first time the conference had been held in North Carolina. The conference was a huge success! The external evaluation report that was done by the American Institute of Physics is included in this report as Enclosure #1. [DO NOT SCAN]

A&T also hosted the Day of Scientific Lectures and National Society of Black Physicists (NSBP) 23rd Annual Meeting March 15 –18, 2000. NCBPS and NSBP held some overlapping sessions to give the students an opportunity to interact with members of the professional organization. The joint theme of the overlapping meetings was “Physics: The Science That Shapes the Future”.

Nearly 200 NCBPS (196) students attended the conference. Enclosure #2 is a list of [Not in packag] the participating NCBPS students along with recruiters and faculty. Enclosure #3 is a list [Not in packag] of participating high school students (their school names, teachers and principals). As seen in the list, forty-seven (47) local high school students participated in the conference. A copy of the overall conference proceedings is Enclosure #4. [DO NOT SCAN]

Funding agencies for the NCBPS were: the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), National Science Foundation (NSF), the Department of Energy (DOE), North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University (NCA&T) Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL), Stanford Linear Accelerator Center (SLAC). The amounts contributed by each of these groups follow:

<u>Funding Agency</u>	<u>Amt. Funded</u>
NASA	\$77,708
NSF	\$35,000
DOE	\$25,000
NCA&T	\$15,000
LBNL	\$10,000
<u>SLAC</u>	<u>\$10,000</u>
Total:	\$172,708

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