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CHARLESTON, IL--Computer access to card catalogs of all the state university libraries in Illinois for patrons of Eastern Illinois University's Booth Library will be made possible by a \$95,000 grant under the Higher Education Cooperation Act.

To provide this service, Eastern will join the Illinois Library Resource Sharing Network developed by the University of Illinois, based on its library computer system.

Dr. Wilson Luquire, Dean of Library Services, said that when the system becomes operative in July of 1984 it can be determined if a particular book in one of the linked libraries is in or whether it has been checked out.

For example, Luquire said, if a patron finds a book in the catalog at the University of Illinois that is at Booth, the book can be checked out at Eastern and delivered by a system already operative.

Bud May, Director of Grants and Research, said funds from the grant will enable Eastern to acquire personnel and computer facilities necessary to join the network.

Both May and Luquire said salary funds in the grant will allow Eastern to hire both Charleston area residents and students to help complete the work associated with the project.