

## Union Calendar No. 290

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 3679

[Report No. 103-521]

To authorize appropriations to expand implementation of the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation Program conducted by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 22, 1993

Mr. ORTIZ (for himself, Mr. WELDON, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. FROST, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. WASHINGTON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries

MAY 23, 1994

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on November 22, 1993]

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 *This Act may be cited as the “Junior Duck Stamp*  
3 *Conservation and Design Program Act of 1994”.*

4 **SEC. 2. ESTABLISHMENT OF PROGRAM.**

5 *(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior (in*  
6 *this Act referred to as the “Secretary”) may carry out in*  
7 *accordance with this Act a program to be known as the*  
8 *“Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and Design Program”*  
9 *(in this Act referred to as the “Program”).*

10 *(b) PROGRAM FEATURES.—The Program shall consist*  
11 *of—*

12 *(1) conducting in all interested States the activi-*  
13 *ties which on the day before the date of the enactment*  
14 *of this Act are conducted under the program known*  
15 *as the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and Design*  
16 *Program;*

17 *(2) other activities authorized under the Pro-*  
18 *gram by this or any other Act; and*

19 *(3) any other activity necessary to carry out the*  
20 *conservation and education goals of the Program.*

21 *(c) EFFORT TO CONDUCT PROGRAM IN ALL STATES.—*

22 *(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall take ap-*  
23 *propriate steps to seek to conduct the Program in all*  
24 *of the 50 States.*

1           (2) *ANNUAL REPORT.*—*The Secretary shall an-*  
2           *nually submit a report to the Congress on the status*  
3           *of the Program in each of the 50 States.*

4   **SEC. 3. JUNIOR DUCK STAMP.**

5           (a) *COMPETITION.*—*As part of the Program, the Sec-*  
6           *retary may annually conduct a competition to—*

7                 (1) *solicit the submission by students at elemen-*  
8                 *tary and secondary schools of designs relating to con-*  
9                 *servaion of migratory birds; and*

10                (2) *select winning designs from among those sub-*  
11                *missions for use for licensing and marketing under*  
12                *subsection (b).*

13           (b) *LICENSING AND MARKETING OF DESIGN OF JUN-*  
14           *IOR DUCK STAMPS.*—*As part of the Program, the Secretary*  
15           *may—*

16                (1) *license and market winning designs selected*  
17                *in competitions under subsection (a); and*

18                (2) *license and market stamps bearing those de-*  
19                *signs, which shall be known as Junior Duck Stamps.*

20           (c) *USE OF PROCEEDS FROM LICENSING AND MAR-*  
21           *KETING OF JUNIOR DUCK STAMPS AND JUNIOR DUCK*  
22           *STAMP DESIGNS.*—*Amounts received under subsection*  
23           *(b)—*

24                (1) *shall be available to the Secretary until ex-*  
25                *pende, without further appropriations, solely for—*

1           (A) awards and scholarships to individuals  
2           who submit designs in competitions under sub-  
3           section (a), that are—

4                   (i) selected in such a competition as  
5                   winning designs; or

6                   (ii) otherwise determined in such a  
7                   competition to be superior;

8           (B) awards to schools and other partici-  
9           pants to further education activities related to  
10          the conservation education goals of the Program;  
11          and

12          (C) expenses for licensing and marketing  
13          under subsection (b); and

14          (2) may not be used for administrative expenses  
15          of the Program.

16 **SEC. 4. ACCEPTANCE OF GIFTS, DEVICES, AND BEQUESTS.**

17          The Secretary may accept and use any gift, devise, or  
18          bequest of personal property, or proceeds thereof, for the  
19          purpose of funding the activities described in section 3(c)(1)  
20          (A) and (B).

21 **SEC. 5. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

22          There are authorized to be appropriated to the Sec-  
23          retary for administrative expenses of the Program \$250,000  
24          for each of the fiscal years 1995 through 2000.

1       Amend the title so as to read: “A bill to authorize  
2 the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a program to  
3 be known as the Junior Duck Stamp Conservation and  
4 Design Program.”.

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