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H. R. 2035

To expand the boundary of the Manti-La Sal National Forest, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 13, 1995

Mr. ORTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

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 “Manti-La Sal National
5 Forest Boundary Adjustment Act of 1995”.

6 **SEC. 2. BOUNDARY MODIFICATION.**

7 The boundary of the Manti-La Sal National Forest
8 is hereby modified and expanded as generally depicted on
9 the map entitled “Manti-La Sal National Forest Bound-
10 ary Expansion 1994” and dated September 22, 1994. The

1 map shall be on file and available for public inspection
2 in the office of the Chief of the Forest Service in Washing-
3 ton, District of Columbia. For purposes of section 7(a)(1)
4 of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965
5 (16 U.S.C. 460l-9(a)(1)), the boundary of the Manti-La
6 Sal National Forest, as modified by this Act, shall be
7 treated as if it were the boundary of that forest on Janu-
8 ary 1, 1965.

9 **SEC. 3. MANAGEMENT.**

10 (a) TRANSFER TO SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE
11 AND ADMINISTRATION AS PART OF FOREST.—Subject to
12 valid existing rights, administrative jurisdiction over the
13 approximately 320 acres of lands that are under the juris-
14 diction of the Bureau of Land Management and are de-
15 picted on the map referred to in section 2 is hereby trans-
16 ferred to the Secretary of Agriculture. Such lands are
17 added to and, subject to subsection (b), shall be adminis-
18 tered as part of the Manti-La Sal National Forest.

19 (b) EXISTING RIGHTS AND LAND USE AUTHORIZA-
20 TIONS.—No provision of this section may be construed to
21 affect valid existing rights, including interests in existing
22 land use authorizations, with respect to the Federal lands
23 generally depicted on the map referred to in section 2, ex-
24 cept that such rights and authorizations shall be adminis-
25 tered by the Secretary of Agriculture, acting through the

1 Chief of the Forest Service, in accordance with this Act
2 and other applicable laws. Renewal or reissuance of any
3 such authorization shall be governed by the laws applicable
4 to the National Forest System and regulations issued by
5 the Secretary of Agriculture, except that the change in ad-
6 ministrative jurisdiction under this Act shall not constitute
7 in itself a ground to deny renewal or reissuance of any
8 such authorization.

