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H. R. 3146

To provide for the exchange of certain Federal lands in the State of California for certain non-Federal lands, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. RADANOVICH 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. FINDINGS AND PURPOSE.**

4 (a) FINDINGS.—The Congress finds that the ex-
5 changes of lands authorized by this Act will benefit both
6 the private landowners and the United States by consoli-
7 dating their respective land ownership patterns.

8 (b) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this Act is to author-
9 ize, facilitate, and expedite the land exchanges set forth
10 herein.

1 **SEC. 2. SIERRA NATIONAL FOREST LANDS.**

2 (a) CONVEYANCE.—Notwithstanding the require-
3 ments in the Act entitled “An Act to Consolidate National
4 Forest Lands”, approved March 20, 1922 (16 U.S.C.
5 485), the Secretary of Agriculture may convey the Federal
6 lands described in subsection (d)(1) in exchange for the
7 non-Federal lands described in subsection (d)(2), and may
8 convey the Federal lands described in subsection (d)(3)
9 in exchange for the non-Federal lands described in sub-
10 section (d)(4), in accordance with the provisions of this
11 Act and in accordance with other applicable laws.

12 (b) APPLICABILITY OF OTHER PROVISIONS OF
13 LAW.—The land exchange required in this Act shall be
14 made in accordance with section 206(b) of the Federal
15 Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C.
16 1716(b)).

17 (c) ACCEPTABILITY OF TITLE AND MANNER OF CON-
18 VEYANCE.—The Secretary shall not carry out an exchange
19 described in subsection (a) unless the title to the non-Fed-
20 eral lands to be conveyed to the United States, and the
21 form and procedures of conveyance, are acceptable to the
22 Secretary.

23 (d) LANDS TO BE EXCHANGED.—

24 (1) FEDERAL LANDS TO BE EXCHANGED IN EX-
25 CHANGE NUMBER 1.—The Federal lands referred to
26 in this Act to be exchanged in Exchange Number 1

1 are located in the Sierra National Forest in Califor-
2 nia, are generally depicted on the map entitled “Si-
3 erra National Forest Exchange No. 1—Proposed,
4 Federal Land”, dated _____ 1995, are
5 known as “Camp Chawanakee”, and are more par-
6 ticularly described as T9S, R25E, sec 30.

7 (2) NON-FEDERAL LANDS TO BE EXCHANGED
8 IN EXCHANGE NUMBER 1.—The non-Federal lands
9 referred to in this Act to be exchanged in Exchange
10 Number 1 are located near the Sierra Summit Ski
11 Area, approximately 12 miles northeast of Shaver
12 Lake, California, are generally depicted on the map
13 entitled “Non-Federal Land, Sierra National Forest
14 Exchange No. 1—Proposed”, dated _____
15 1995, and are known as Summit 80, and are more
16 particularly described as T8S, R26E, sec 29.

17 (3) FEDERAL LANDS TO BE EXCHANGED IN EX-
18 CHANGE NUMBER 2.—The Federal lands referred to
19 in this Act to be exchanged in Exchange Number 1
20 are located in the Sierra National Forest in Califor-
21 nia, are generally depicted on the map entitled “Si-
22 erra National Forest Exchange No. 2—Proposed,
23 Federal Land”, dated _____ 1995, com-
24 prise approximately 160 acres, and are more par-

1 particularly described as T10S, R25E, section 7 and
2 18.

3 (4) NON-FEDERAL LANDS TO BE EXCHANGED
4 IN EXCHANGE NUMBER 2.—The non-Federal lands
5 referred to in this Act to be exchanged in Exchange
6 Number 2 are located southeast of Shaver Lake,
7 California, are generally depicted on the map enti-
8 tled “Non-Federal Land, Sierra National Forest Ex-
9 change No. 2—Proposed”, dated _____
10 1995, and are known as the Statham Meadow,
11 Three Springs, and Monroe Tracts, and are more
12 particularly described as T11S, R28E, sections 20
13 and 27 and T10S, R25E, section 8.

14 (5) MAPS.—The maps referred to in this sub-
15 section shall be on file and available for inspection
16 in the office of the Supervisor of the Sierra National
17 Forest in California and in the office of the Chief of
18 the Forest Service.

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