

Union Calendar No. 302

107TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 3936

[Report No. 107-506]

To designate and provide for the management of the Shoshone National Recreation Trail, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 12, 2002

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

JUNE 12, 2002

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

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on March 12, 2002]

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. SHOSHONE NATIONAL TRAIL.**

4 (a) *DEFINITIONS.—For the purposes of this section, the*
5 *following definitions shall apply:*

1 (1) *APPROPRIATE SECRETARY.*—The term “ap-
2 propriate Secretary” means—

3 (A) the Secretary of Agriculture when refer-
4 ring to land under the jurisdiction of that Sec-
5 retary; and

6 (B) the Secretary of the Interior when refer-
7 ring to any land except that under the jurisdic-
8 tion of the Secretary of Agriculture.

9 (2) *MAP.*—The term “Map” means the map enti-
10 tled “_____” and dated _____.

11 (3) *TRAIL.*—The term “Trail” means the system
12 of trails designated in subsection (b) as the James V.
13 Hansen Shoshone National Trail.

14 (b) *DESIGNATION.*—The trails that are open to motor-
15 ized use pursuant to applicable Federal and State law and
16 are depicted on the Map as the Shoshone National Trail
17 are hereby designated as the “James V. Hansen Shoshone
18 National Trail”.

19 (c) *MANAGEMENT.*—

20 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—Except as otherwise provided
21 in this Act, the appropriate Secretary shall manage
22 the Trail consistent with the requirements of a na-
23 tional recreation trail in accordance with—

24 (A) the National Trails System Act (16
25 U.S.C. 1241 et seq.); and

1 (B) *other applicable laws and regulations*
2 *for trails on Federal lands.*

3 (2) *COOPERATION; AGREEMENTS.—The Secretary*
4 *of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture shall*
5 *cooperate with the State of Utah Department of Nat-*
6 *ural Resources and appropriate county governments*
7 *in managing the Trail. The appropriate Secretary*
8 *shall make every reasonable effort to enter into coop-*
9 *erative agreements with the State of Utah Depart-*
10 *ment of Natural Resources and appropriate county*
11 *governments (separately, collectively, or in an any*
12 *combination, as agreed by the parties) for manage-*
13 *ment of the Trail.*

14 (3) *PRIMARY PURPOSE.—The primary purpose*
15 *of this Act is to provide recreational trail opportuni-*
16 *ties for motorized vehicle use on the Trail. The Trail*
17 *shall be managed in a manner that is consistent with*
18 *this purpose, ensures user safety, and minimizes user*
19 *conflicts.*

20 (4) *ADDITION OF TRAILS.—*

21 (A) *IN GENERAL.—The appropriate Sec-*
22 *retary may add trails to the Trail in accordance*
23 *with the National Trails System Act.*

24 (B) *REQUIREMENT FOR ADDITION OF*
25 *TRAILS ON NON-FEDERAL LAND.—If a trail to be*

1 *added to the Trail is located on non-Federal*
2 *land, the appropriate Secretary may add the*
3 *trail only if the owner of the land upon which*
4 *the trail is located has—*

5 *(i) consented to the addition of the*
6 *trail to the Trail; and*

7 *(ii) entered into an agreement with the*
8 *appropriate Secretary for management of*
9 *the additional trail in a manner that is*
10 *consistent with this Act.*

11 (5) *NOTICE OF OPEN ROUTES.—The Secretary of*
12 *the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture shall en-*
13 *sure that the public is adequately informed regarding*
14 *the routes open for the Trail, including by appro-*
15 *priate signage along the Trail.*

16 (d) *NO EFFECT ON NON-FEDERAL LAND AND INTER-*
17 *ESTS IN LAND.—Nothing in this section shall be construed*
18 *to affect ownership, management, or other rights related to*
19 *any non-Federal land or interests in land, except as pro-*
20 *vided in an agreement related to that land entered into by*
21 *the landowner under subsection (c)(4)(B)(i).*

22 (e) *ACQUISITION OF LAND AND INTERESTS IN LAND.—*
23 *The appropriate Secretary may acquire land and interests*
24 *in land for the purposes of the Trail only from willing own-*
25 *ers.*

- 1 (f) *MAP ON FILE; UPDATED.*—*The Map shall be—*
2 (1) *kept on file at the appropriate offices of the*
3 *Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agri-*
4 *culture; and*
5 (2) *updated by the appropriate Secretary when-*
6 *ever trails are added to the Trail.*
- 7 (g) *AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.*—*There are*
8 *authorized to be appropriated such sums as are necessary*
9 *to carry out this Act.*

Amend the title so as to read: “A bill to designate and provide for the management of the James V. Hansen Shoshone National Trail, and for other purposes.”.

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