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H. R. 1088

To authorize the Society of the First Infantry Division to make modifications to the First Division Monument located on Federal land in Presidential Park in District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 7, 2019

Mr. MARSHALL introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Natural 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 “First Infantry Rec-
5 ognition of Sacrifice in Theater Act” or the “FIRST Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. MODIFICATION TO FIRST DIVISION MONUMENT.**

7 (a) AUTHORIZATION.—The Society of the First In-
8 fantry Division (an organization described in section

1 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and ex-
2 empt from taxation under section 501(a) of that code),
3 may make modifications (including construction of addi-
4 tional plaques and stone plinths on which to put the
5 plaques) to the First Division Monument located on Fed-
6 eral land in Presidential Park in District of Columbia that
7 was set aside for memorial purposes of the First Infantry
8 Division, in order to honor the members of the First In-
9 fantry Division who paid the ultimate sacrifice during
10 United States operations, including Operation Desert
11 Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom and New Dawn, and Op-
12 eration Enduring Freedom. The First Infantry Division
13 at the Department of the Army shall collaborate with the
14 Department of Defense to provide to the Society of the
15 First Infantry Division the list of names to be added.

16 (b) NON-APPLICATION OF COMMEMORATIVE WORKS
17 ACT.—Subsections (b) and (c) of section 8903 of title 40,
18 United States Code (commonly known as the “Commemo-
19 rative Works Act”), shall not apply to actions taken under
20 subsection (a) of this section.

21 (c) FUNDING.—Federal funds may not be used to pay
22 any expense of the activities of the Society of the First
23 Infantry Division which are authorized by this section.

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