

Arizona-Idaho Conservation Act of 1988

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Public Law

1.1 Public Law 100-696, approved Nov. 18, 1988. (S. 2840)

(CIS88:PL100-696 42 p.)

"To provide for the designation and conservation of certain lands in the States of Arizona and Idaho, and for other purposes."

TITLE I establishes and provides for Department of Interior management of the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area surrounding a portion of the San Pedro River in Cochise County, Ariz.

TITLE II designates a collection of natural rock formations in Idaho as the City of Rocks National Reserve.

TITLE III establishes the Hagerman Fossil Beds National Monument, Idaho, to be administered by the National Park Service to preserve and display the Pliocene-epoch fauna and flora fossil specimens and to provide a center for continuing paleontological research.

TITLE IV authorizes Department of Interior land exchange involving sale and disposition of Phoenix Indian School property in Phoenix, Ariz., and lands held by the Barron Collier Co., Collier Enterprises, Inc., and Collier Development Corp. in South Florida.

Portions of the Phoenix Indian High School property would be exchanged with the Collier companies for land to be added to the Big Cypress National Preserve and the Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge, and for land to establish the Ten Thousand Islands National Wildlife Refuge.

Cash realized from the transaction would be held in trust for Indian education purposes. Portions of the Phoenix school site would be used for expansion of a VA medical facility and for construction of a State veterans' nursing home.

TITLE V directs BLM to convey a portion of the Santa Rita Experiment Station to Arizona as payment of Federal debt remaining from the acquisition of State lands for the Central Arizona water project; and authorizes Federal acquisition of certain State trust lands in Arizona, some for inclusion in the Coronado National Forest.

TITLE VI authorizes the University of Arizona to establish an international astronomical observatory on Mount Graham in Coronado National Forest, Ariz., subject to conditions recommended by a Fish and Wildlife Service biological opinion issued under the Endangered Species Act, in order to mitigate the project impact on an endangered species of squirrels.

TITLE VII establishes the Mississippi National River and Recreation Area in the Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., metropolitan area; and establishes the Mississippi River Coordinating Commission.

TITLE VIII establishes the U.S. Capitol Preservation Commission.

TITLE IX redesignates the Commission on Art and Antiquities of the U.S. Senate as the Senate Commission on Art.

TITLE X establishes the House of Representatives Fine Arts Board.

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99th Congress

2.1 H. Rpt. 99-773 on H.R. 4811, "Establishing the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area in Cochise County, Arizona," Aug. 8, 1986.

(CIS86:H443-47 7 p.)
(Y1.1/8:99-773.)

Recommends passage, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, of H.R. 4811, to establish and authorize Interior Dept management of the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area surrounding a portion of the San Pedro River in Cochise County, Ariz., to protect the natural, archeological, and recreational resources of the area.

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2.2 H. Rpt. 100-24 on H.R. 568, "Establishing the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area in Cochise County, Arizona, in Order To Assure Paleontological, Scientific, Cultural, Educational, and Recreational Resources of the Conservation Area," Mar. 12, 1987.

(CIS87:H443-10 5 p.)
(Y1.1/8:100-24.)

Recommends passage with amendments of H.R. 568, to establish and provide for Interior Dept management of the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area surrounding a portion of the San Pedro River in Cochise County, Ariz., to protect the natural, archeological, and recreational resources of the area.

H.R. 568 is similar to 99th Congress H.R. 4811.

2.3 H. Rpt. 100-319 on H.R. 2530, "Providing for the Establishment of the Mississippi National River and Recreation Area," Sept. 29, 1987.

(CIS87:H443-53 12 p.)
(Y1.1/8:100-319.)

Recommends passage, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, of H.R. 2530, to establish the Mississippi National River and Recreation Area in the Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minn., metropolitan area.

2.4 S. Rpt. 100-245 on S. 1335, "City of Rocks National Reserve, ID," Dec. 9, 1987.

(CIS87:S313-46 9 p.)
(Y1.1/5:100-245.)

Recommends passage with amendments of S. 1335, to designate a collection of natural rock formations in Idaho as the City of Rocks National Reserve, to be managed, protected, and preserved by Idaho and the National Park Service.

2.5 S. Rpt. 100-246 on S. 1675, "Hagerman Fossil Beds National Monument, Idaho," Dec. 9, 1987.

(CIS87:S313-47 7 p.)
(Y1.1/5:100-246.)

Recommends passage, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, of S. 1675, to establish the Hagerman Fossil Beds National Monument, Idaho, to be administered by the National Park Service to preserve and display the Pliocene-epoch fauna and flora fossil specimens and to provide a center for continuing paleontological research.

2.6 H. Rpt. 100-744, pt. 1 on H.R. 4519, "Providing for the Disposition of Certain Lands in Arizona Under the Jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior by Means of an Exchange of Lands," June 30, 1988.

(CIS88:H443-32 35 p.)
(Y1.1/8:100-744/pt.1.)

Recommends passage of H.R. 4519, the Arizona-Florida Land Exchange Act of 1988, to authorize Interior Dept land exchange involving sale and disposition of Phoenix Indian School property in Phoenix, Ariz., and lands held by the Barron Collier Co., Collier Enterprises, Inc., and Collier Development Corp. in South Florida.

Portions of the Phoenix Indian School property would be exchanged with the Collier companies for land to be added to the Big Cypress National Preserve and the Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge, and another parcel used to establish the Ten Thousand Islands National Wildlife Refuge.

Cash realized from the transaction would be held in trust for Indian education purposes. Portions of the Phoenix school site would be used for expansion of a VA medical facility and for construction of a State veterans' nursing home.

Includes dissenting views (p. 32-35).

2.7 H. Rpt. 100-744, pt. 2 on H.R. 4519, "Transfer of Federal Lands for Future Expansion of Veterans Medical Facilities in Phoenix, Arizona," July 7, 1988.

(CIS88:H763-3 18 p.)
(Y1.1/8:100-744/pt.2.)

Recommends passage with amendments of H.R. 4519, the Arizona-Florida Land Exchange Act of 1988, to authorize Interior Dept land exchange involving sale and disposition of Phoenix Indian School property in Phoenix, Ariz., and lands held by the Barron Collier Co., Collier Enterprises, Inc., and Collier Development Corp. in South Florida.

Committee consideration was limited to provisions providing that portions of the Phoenix school site would be used for expansion of a VA medical facility and for construction of a State veterans' nursing home.

2.8 S. Rpt. 100-525 on S. 252, "San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area," Sept. 22, 1988.

(CIS88:S313-58 9 p.)
(Y1.1/5:100-525.)

Recommends passage with amendments of S. 252, to establish and provide for Department of Interior management of the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area surrounding a portion of the San Pedro River in Cochise County, Ariz., to protect the natural, archeological, and recreational resources of the area.

S. 252 is companion to H.R. 568.

2.9 S. Rpt. 100-539 on H.R. 4519, "Arizona-Florida Land Exchange Act of 1988," Sept. 22, 1988.

(CIS88:S313-70 17 p.)
(Y1.1/5:100-539.)

Recommends passage with amendments of H.R. 4519, the Arizona-Florida Land Exchange Act of 1988, to authorize Department of Interior land exchange involving sale and disposition of Phoenix Indian School property in Phoenix, Ariz., and lands held by the Barron Collier Co., Collier Enterprises, Inc., and Collier Development Corp. in South Florida.

Portions of the Phoenix Indian School property would be exchanged with the Collier companies for land to be added to the Big Cypress National Preserve and the Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge, and for land to establish the Ten Thousand Islands National Wildlife Refuge.

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H.R. 4519 is companion to S. 2420.

2.10 S. Rpt. 100-553 on S. 2352, "Santa Rita Public Lands Exchange Act of 1988," Sept. 27, 1988.

(CIS88:S313-75 24 p.)
(Y1.1/5:100-553.)

Recommends passage, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, of S. 2352, the Santa Rita Public Lands Exchange Act of 1988, to authorize land exchanges between Department of Interior and Arizona. Includes provisions to:

- a. Direct BLM to convey a portion of the Santa Rita Experiment Station to Arizona as payment of Federal debt remaining from the acquisition of State lands for the Central Arizona water project.
- b. Authorize Federal acquisition of certain State trust lands.
- c. Designate the New Water Mountains Wilderness Area.
- d. Expand the Kofa National Wildlife Refuge and the Cabeza Prieta National Wildlife Refuge.

Includes additional views (p. 22-23).

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- ✓ 4.1 Aug. 11, House consideration and passage of H.R. 4811.

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- ✓ 4.2 Mar. 24, House consideration and passage of H.R. 568.
- 4.3 Sept. 29, House consideration and passage of H.R. 2530.
- 4.4 Dec. 12, Senate consideration and passage of S. 1335.
- 4.5 Dec. 12, Senate consideration and passage of S. 1675.

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- 4.6 July 27, House consideration and passage of H.R. 4519.
- ✓ 4.7 Oct. 13, Senate consideration and passage of S. 2840.

- 4.8 Oct. 20, House consideration and passage of S. 2840 with amendments.
- 4.9 Oct. 20, Senate concurrence in the House amendments to S. 2840.

P.L. 100-696 Hearings

99th Congress

- 5.1 "San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area," hearings before the Subcommittee on Public Lands, House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, July 15, 1986.

(CIS87:H441-17 iii+55 p.)
(Y4.In8/14:99-41.)

- 5.2 "Additions to the Big Cypress National Preserve; Establishing the San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area; Designating the Horsepasture River As a Component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System; and Amending FLPMA," hearings before the Subcommittee on Public Lands, Reserved Water, and Resource Conservation, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Sept. 23, 1986.

(CIS87:S311-30 iii+245 p.)
(Y4.En2:S.hrg.99-1055.)

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- 5.3 Hearings on the Phoenix, Ariz., Indian High School property before the House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, Feb. 13, July 30, 1987. (Not available at time of publication.)

- 5.4 "San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area and the Reno/Las Vegas Catholic Diocese Land Conveyance," hearings before the Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks, and Forests, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Apr. 30, 1987.

(CIS87:S311-47 iii+108 p.)
(Y4.En2:S.hrg.100-103.)

- 5.5 Hearings on H.R. 2530 before the Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands, House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, July 2, Sept. 15, 1987. (Not available at time of publication.)

- 5.6 "City of Rocks National Reserve Act of 1987," hearings before the Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks, and Forests, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Aug. 19, 1987.

(CIS88:S311-34 iii+79 p.)
(Y4.En2:S.hrg.100-475.)

- 5.7 "City of Rocks National Reserve; Hagerman Fossil Beds National Monument; Delta Region Preservation Commission; and Submerged Lands in the State of Alaska," hearings before the Subcommittee on Public

Lands, National Parks, and Forests, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Oct. 20, 1987.

(CIS88:S311-53 iii+269 p. i.)
(Y4.En2:S.hrg.100-545)

- 5.8 Hearings on S. 2420 before the Senate Select Committee on Indian Affairs, and the Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks, and Forests, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, July 25, 1988. (Not available at time of publication.)

- 5.9 "Miscellaneous Parks and Public Lands Measures Part 2," hearings before the Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks, and Forests, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Aug. 2, 1988.

(CIS89:S311-6 iii+110 p.)
(Y4.En2:S.hrg.100-313/pt.2.)

- 5.10 Hearings on S. 2352 before the Subcommittee on Public Lands, National Parks, and Forests, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee, Aug. 4, 1988. (Not available at time of publication.)