

104TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 3546

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 31, 1996

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and
Public Works

AN ACT

To direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Walhalla
National Fish Hatchery to the State of South Carolina.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Walhalla National Fish
3 Hatchery Conveyance Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. CONVEYANCE OF WALHALLA NATIONAL FISH**
5 **HATCHERY TO THE STATE OF SOUTH CARO-**
6 **LINA.**

7 (a) CONVEYANCE REQUIREMENT.—Within 180 days
8 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
9 of the Interior shall convey to the State of South Carolina
10 without reimbursement all right, title, and interest of the
11 United States in and to the property described in sub-
12 section (b), for use by the South Carolina Department of
13 Natural Resources as part of the State of South Carolina
14 fish culture program.

15 (b) PROPERTY DESCRIBED.—The property referred
16 to in subsection (a) is the property known as the Walhalla
17 National Fish Hatchery, located on Indian Camp Creek
18 and the East Fork of Chattooga River off of State Second-
19 ary Highway 325 in northern Oconee County, South Caro-
20 lina, consisting of 76.2 acres (more or less), all improve-
21 ments and related personal property under the control of
22 the Secretary that is located on that property, including
23 buildings, structures, and equipment, and all easements,
24 leases, and water rights relating to that property.

25 (c) REVERSIONARY INTEREST.—If any of the prop-
26 erty conveyed to the State of South Carolina under this

1 section is used for any purpose other than the use author-
2 ized under subsection (a), all right, title, and interest in
3 and to all property conveyed under this section shall revert
4 to the United States. The State of South Carolina shall
5 ensure that all property reverting to the United States
6 under this subsection is in substantially the same or better
7 condition as at the time of transfer to the State.

Passed the House of Representatives July 30, 1996.

Attest:

ROBIN H. CARLE,

Clerk.