

Union Calendar No. 22

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 111

[Report No. 105-34]

To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to convey a parcel of unused agricultural land in Dos Palos, California, to the Dos Palos Ag Boosters for use as a farm school.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 7, 1997

Mr. CONDIT introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

MARCH 20, 1997

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. LAND CONVEYANCE, UNUSED AGRICULTURAL**
2 **LAND, DOS PALOS, CALIFORNIA.**

3 (a) CONVEYANCE AUTHORIZED.—Notwithstanding
4 any other provision of law, including section 335(c) of the
5 Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C.
6 1985(c)), the Secretary of Agriculture may convey to the
7 Dos Palos Ag Boosters of Dos Palos, California, all right,
8 title, and interest of the United States in and to a parcel
9 of real property (including improvements thereon) held by
10 the Secretary that consists of approximately 22 acres and
11 is located at 18296 Elgin Avenue, Dos Palos, California,
12 to be used as a farm school for the education and training
13 of students and beginning farmers regarding farming. Any
14 such conveyance shall be final with no future liability ac-
15 cruing to the Secretary of Agriculture.

16 (b) CONSIDERATION.—As consideration for the con-
17 veyance under subsection (a), the transferee shall pay to
18 the Secretary an amount equal to the fair market value
19 of the parcel conveyed under subsection (a).

20 (c) ALTERNATIVE TRANSFEREE.—At the request of
21 the Dos Palos Ag Boosters, the Secretary may make the
22 conveyance authorized by subsection (a) to the Dos Palos
23 School District.

24 (d) DETERMINATION OF FAIR MARKET VALUE AND
25 PROPERTY DESCRIPTION.—The Secretary shall determine
26 the fair market value of the parcel to be conveyed under

1 subsection (a). The exact acreage and legal description of
2 the parcel shall be determined by a survey satisfactory to
3 the Secretary. The cost of any such survey shall be borne
4 by the transferee.

5 (e) ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—The
6 Secretary may require such additional terms and condi-
7 tions in connection with the conveyance under this section
8 as the Secretary considers appropriate to protect the inter-
9 ests of the United States.

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