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H. R. 1104

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 11, 1999

Mr. SWEENEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on 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. VISITOR CENTER FOR HOME OF FRANKLIN D.**

4 **ROOSEVELT NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE, HYDE**
5 **PARK, NEW YORK.**

6 (a) TRANSFER OF ADMINISTRATIVE JURISDIC-
7 TION.—The Secretary of the Interior may transfer to the

1 Archivist of the United States administrative jurisdiction
2 over land located in the Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt
3 National Historic Site, for use by the Archivist for the
4 construction of a visitor center facility to jointly serve the
5 Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt National Historic Site and
6 the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library, located in
7 Hyde Park, New York.

8 (b) CONDITIONS OF TRANSFER.—

9 (1) PROTECTION OF HISTORIC SITE.—The
10 transfer authorized in subsection (a) shall be subject
11 to an agreement between the Secretary and the Ar-
12 chivist that shall include such provisions for the pro-
13 tection of the Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt Na-
14 tional Historic Site and the joint use of the facility
15 to be constructed as the Secretary and the Archivist
16 may consider necessary.

17 (2) CONSIDERATION.—A transfer made pursu-
18 ant to subsection (a) shall be made without consider-
19 ation or reimbursement.

20 (3) TERMINATION.—If use by the Archivist of
21 the land referred to in subsection (a) is terminated
22 by the Archivist at any time, administrative jurisdic-
23 tion over the land shall automatically revert to the
24 Department of the Interior.

1 (c) DESCRIPTION OF LAND.—The land referred to in
2 subsection (a) shall consist of not more than 1 acre of
3 land as may be mutually agreed to by the Secretary and
4 the Archivist and more particularly described in the agree-
5 ment required under subsection (b)(1).

