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[Report No. 107-203]

To amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Old Spanish Trail as a National Historic Trail.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 14, 2002

Mr. LOTT (for Mr. CAMPBELL) (for himself, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. BINGAMAN, and Mr. ALLARD) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

JULY 3, 2002

Reported under the authority of the order of the Senate of June 26, 2002, by Mr. BINGAMAN, with amendments

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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 “Old Spanish Trail Rec-
5 ognition Act of 2002”.

1 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION.**

2 Section 5(a) of the National Trails System Act (16
3 U.S.C. 1244(a)) is amended—

4 (1) by redesignating the second paragraph (21)
5 as paragraph (22); and

6 (2) by adding at the end the following:

7 “(23) OLD SPANISH NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL.—

8 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Old Spanish National
9 Historic Trail, an approximately ~~3,500~~ 2,700 mile
10 long trail extending from Santa Fe, New Mexico, to
11 Los Angeles, California, that served as a major
12 trade route between 1829 and 1848, as generally de-
13 picted on the map contained in the report prepared
14 under subsection (b) maps numbered 1 through 9, as
15 contained in the report entitled “Old Spanish Trail
16 National Historic Trail Feasibility Study”, dated
17 July 2001, *including the Armijo Route, Northern
18 Route, North Branch, and Mojave Road*”.

19 “(B) MAP.—A map generally depicting the trail
20 shall be on file and available for public inspection in
21 the office of the Director of the National Park Serv-
22 ice.

23 “(B) MAP.—A map generally depicting the trail
24 shall be on file and available for public inspection in
25 the appropriate offices of the Department of the Inte-
26 rior.”.

1 “(C) ADMINISTRATION.—The trail shall be ad-
2 ministered by the Secretary of the Interior, acting
3 ~~through the Director of the National Park Service~~
4 *Interior* (referred to in this paragraph as the ‘Sec-
5 retary’).

6 “(D) LAND ACQUISITION.—The United States
7 shall not acquire for the trail any land or interest
8 in land outside the exterior boundary of any feder-
9 ally-managed area without the consent of the owner
10 of the land or interest in land.

11 “(E) CONSULTATION.—The Secretary shall
12 consult with other Federal, State, local, and tribal
13 agencies in the administration of the trail.

14 “(F) ADDITIONAL ROUTES.—The Secretary
15 may designate additional routes to the trail if—

16 “(i) the additional routes were included in
17 the Old Spanish Trail National Historic Trail
18 Feasibility Study, but were not recommended
19 for designation as a national historic trail; and

20 “(ii) the Secretary determines that the ad-
21 ditional routes were used for trade and com-
22 merce between 1829 and 1848.”.

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