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H. R. 4073

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Received

AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to accept the quit-claim, disclaimer, and relinquishment of a railroad right of way within and adjacent to Pike National Forest in El Paso County, Colorado, originally granted to the Mt. Manitou Park and Incline Railway Company pursuant to the Act of March 3, 1875.

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. ACCEPTANCE OF RELINQUISHMENT OF RAIL-**
4 **ROAD RIGHT OF WAY BY MANITOU AND**
5 **PIKES PEAK RAILWAY COMPANY, COLORADO,**
6 **OVER NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM LAND.**

7 (a) **AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT.**—Notwithstanding the
8 Act of March 8, 1922 (43 U.S.C. 912), the Secretary of
9 Agriculture may accept the quitclaim, disclaimer, and re-
10 linquishment by the Manitou and Pikes Peak Railway
11 Company, successor in interest to the Mt. Manitou Park
12 and Incline Railway Company, of a right of way, more
13 fully described in subsection (b), within and adjacent to
14 Pike National Forest that was originally granted by the
15 Secretary to the Mt. Manitou Park and Incline Railway
16 Company pursuant to the authority provided by the Act
17 of March 3, 1875 (Chapter 152; 18 Stat. 482) for the
18 construction of a railroad and station in El Paso County,
19 Colorado.

20 (b) **RIGHT OF WAY DESCRIBED.**—The railroad right
21 of way referred to in subsection (a) is located in the S¹/₂
22 of section 6, Township 14 South, Range 67 West, and
23 N¹/₂SE ¹/₄ of section 1, Township 14 South, Range 68
24 West, Sixth Principal Meridian, Colorado, and is depicted

1 in a tracing filed in the United States Land Office at
2 Pueblo, Colorado, file 019416, on December 24, 1914.

3 (c) LIMITED APPLICABILITY.—Nothing in this sec-
4 tion shall be construed to affect the right, title, and inter-
5 est of the Manitou and Pikes Peak Railway Company in
6 land held in fee title by the Manitou and Pikes Peak Rail-
7 way Company.

Passed the House of Representatives August 1,
2012.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,
Clerk.