

116TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1088

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 21, 2019

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural
Resources

AN ACT

To authorize the Society of the First Infantry Division to make modifications to the First Division Monument located on Federal Land in President's Park in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

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 “First Infantry Rec-
3 ognition of Sacrifice in Theater Act” or the “FIRST Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. MODIFICATION TO FIRST DIVISION MONUMENT.**

5 (a) **AUTHORIZATION.**—The Society of the First In-
6 fantry Division (an organization described in section
7 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and ex-
8 empt from taxation under section 501(a) of that code),
9 may make modifications (including construction of addi-
10 tional plaques and stone plinths on which to put the
11 plaques) to the First Division Monument located on Fed-
12 eral land in President’s Park in the District of Columbia
13 that was set aside for memorial purposes of the First In-
14 fantry Division, in order to honor the members of the
15 First Infantry Division who paid the ultimate sacrifice
16 during United States operations, including Operation
17 Desert Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom and New Dawn,
18 and Operation Enduring Freedom. The First Infantry Di-
19 vision at the Department of the Army shall collaborate
20 with the Department of Defense to provide to the Society
21 of the First Infantry Division the list of names to be
22 added.

23 (b) **NON-APPLICATION OF COMMEMORATIVE WORKS**
24 **ACT.**—Subsection (b) of section 8903 of title 40, United
25 States Code (commonly known as the “Commemorative

1 Works Act”), shall not apply to actions taken under sub-
2 section (a) of this section.

3 (c) FUNDING.—Federal funds may not be used to pay
4 any expense of the activities of the Society of the First
5 Infantry Division which are authorized by this section.

Passed the House of Representatives November 20,
2019.

Attest:

CHERYL L. JOHNSON,

Clerk.