

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4377

To amend the Military Lands Withdrawal Act of 1999 with respect to extensions, additions, and revisions to the Barry M. Goldwater Range in Arizona.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 27, 2023

Mr. GRIJALVA (for himself and Mr. GALLEG0) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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. EXTENSIONS, ADDITIONS, AND REVISIONS TO**
4 **THE MILITARY LANDS WITHDRAWAL ACT OF**
5 **1999 RELATING TO BARRY M. GOLDWATER**
6 **RANGE.**

7 (a) EXTENSION OF WITHDRAWAL AND GILA BEND
8 ADDITION TO BARRY M. GOLDWATER RANGE.—Section

1 3031(a)(3) of the Military Lands Withdrawal Act of 1999
2 (title XXX of Public Law 106–65; 113 Stat. 898) is
3 amended—

4 (1) by striking “comprise approximately
5 1,650,200 acres” and inserting the following: “com-
6 prise—

7 “(A) approximately 1,656,491.94 acres”;

8 (2) by striking “‘Barry M. Goldwater Range
9 Land Withdrawal’, dated June 17, 1999” and in-
10 serting the following: “‘Barry M. Goldwater Range
11 Requested Withdrawal Extension Map’, dated June
12 13, 2022”; and

13 (3) by striking “section 3033.” and inserting
14 the following: “section 3033; and

15 “(B) approximately 2,365.89 acres of land
16 in Maricopa County, Arizona, as generally de-
17 picted on the map entitled ‘Gila Bend Addition
18 to Barry M. Goldwater Range’, dated July 5,
19 2022, and filed in accordance with section
20 3033.”.

21 (b) RELATION TO OTHER WITHDRAWALS AND RES-
22 ERVATIONS.—Section 3031(a) of such Act is amended—

23 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (4), (5), (6),
24 and (7) as paragraphs (5), (6), (7), and (8), respec-
25 tively;

1 (2) in paragraph (5), as so redesignated, by in-
2 serting “, whichever is later” after “accepted by the
3 Secretary of the Interior”; and

4 (3) by inserting after paragraph (3) the fol-
5 lowing:

6 “(4) RELATION TO OTHER WITHDRAWALS AND
7 RESERVATIONS.—

8 “(A) The prior withdrawals and reserva-
9 tions identified as Public Land Order Nos. 56
10 and 97, and Executive Order Nos. 8892, 9104,
11 and 9215, are hereby revoked in their entirety.

12 “(B) Upon the date of the enactment of
13 this paragraph, the patented mining claim
14 known as the Legal Tender, Mineral Survey
15 No. 3445, located in Section 26, Township 15
16 South, Range 10 West, Gila Salt River Merid-
17 ian, Arizona, is hereby transferred from the
18 Secretary of the Air Force to the Secretary of
19 the Interior, at no cost and in ‘as-is’ condition,
20 and shall be managed by the United States
21 Fish and Wildlife Service as a land parcel in-
22 cluded within the Cabeza Prieta National Wild-
23 life Refuge and in wilderness status as part of
24 the Cabeza Prieta Wilderness.”.

1 (c) RENEWAL OF CURRENT WITHDRAWAL AND RES-
2 ERVATION.—Section 3031(d) of such Act is amended by
3 striking “25 years after the date of the enactment of this
4 Act” and inserting “on October 5, 2049”.

5 (d) EXTENSION.—Section 3031(e) of such Act is
6 amended—

- 7 (1) in the heading, by striking “INITIAL”; and
8 (2) in paragraph (1), by striking “initial”.

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