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S. 5123

To amend title 36, United States Code, to designate July 20 as Lunar Landing Day.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 23, 2026

Mr. SHEEHY (for himself, Mr. KELLY, Mr. MORAN, and Ms. CANTWELL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Lunar Landing Day
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. DESIGNATION.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 1 of title 36, United
8 States Code, is amended—

9 (1) by redesignating sections 106 through 115
10 as sections 107 through 116, respectively;

1 (2) by moving section 147 so as to appear after
2 section 105 and by redesignating such section 147
3 as section 106;

4 (3) by redesignating the second section des-
5 ignated as section 106 and sections 107 through 116
6 as sections 107 through 116, respectively;

7 (4) by redesignating the second section des-
8 ignated as 116 and section 117 as sections 118 and
9 119, respectively;

10 (5) by moving section 146 so as to appear after
11 section 119, as so redesignated, and by redesign-
12 nating such section 146 as section 120;

13 (6) by redesignating the second section des-
14 ignated as section 118, the second section des-
15 ignated as section 119, and sections 120 through
16 135 as sections 121 through 138, respectively;

17 (7) by moving section 144 so as to appear after
18 section 138, as so redesignated, and by redesign-
19 nating such section 144 as section 139;

20 (8) by redesignating the second section des-
21 ignated as section 136, the second section des-
22 ignated as section 137, the second section des-
23 ignated as section 138, the second section des-
24 ignated as section 139, and sections 140 and 141 as
25 sections 140 through 145, respectively;

1 (9) by moving section 148 so as to appear after
 2 section 145, as so redesignated, and by redesignating such section 148 as section 146;

4 (10) by moving the second section designated as
 5 section 145 so as to appear after section 146, as so
 6 redesignated, and by redesignating such section 145
 7 as section 147;

8 (11) by redesignating the second section designated as section 142 and the second section designated as section 143 as sections 148 and 149, respectively; and

12 (12) by inserting after section 116, as so redesignated, the following:

14 **“§ 117. Lunar Landing Day**

15 “(a) DESIGNATION.—July 20 is Lunar Landing Day.

16 “(b) RECOGNITION.—All private citizens, organizations, and Federal, State, and local governmental and legislative entities are encouraged to recognize Lunar Landing Day through proclamations, activities, and educational efforts—

21 “(1) commemorating the first successful landing of humans on the Moon on July 20, 1969; and

23 “(2) inspiring the continued leadership of the
 24 United States in space exploration and science.”.

- 1 (b) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—
 2 The table of sections for chapter 1 of title 36, United
 3 States Code, is amended by striking the items relating to
 4 sections 101 through 148 and inserting the following:

“101. American Heart Month.
 “102. Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month.
 “103. Cancer Control Month.
 “104. Carl Garner Federal Lands Cleanup Day.
 “105. Child Health Day.
 “106. Choose Respect Day.
 “107. Constitution Day and Citizenship Day.
 “108. Columbus Day.
 “109. Constitution Week.
 “110. Father’s Day.
 “111. Flag Day.
 “112. Gold Star Mother’s Day.
 “113. Honor America Days.
 “114. Law Day, U.S.A..
 “115. Leif Erikson Day.
 “116. Loyalty Day.
 “117. Lunar Landing Day.
 “118. Memorial Day.
 “119. Mother’s Day.
 “120. National Atomic Veterans Day.
 “121. National Aviation Day.
 “122. National Day of Prayer.
 “123. National Defense Transportation Day.
 “124. National Disability Employment Awareness Month.
 “125. National Flag Week.
 “126. National Forest Products Week.
 “127. National Freedom Day.
 “128. National Grandparents Day.
 “129. National Hispanic Heritage Month.
 “130. National Korean War Veterans Armistice Day.
 “131. National Maritime Day.
 “132. National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day.
 “133. National Poison Prevention Week.
 “134. National Safe Boating Week.
 “135. National School Lunch Week.
 “136. National Transportation Week.
 “137. Pan American Aviation Day.
 “138. Parents’ Day.
 “139. Patriot Day.
 “140. Peace Officers Memorial Day.
 “141. Police Week.
 “142. Save Your Vision Week.
 “143. Steelmark Month.
 “144. Stephen Foster Memorial Day.
 “145. Thomas Jefferson’s Birthday.
 “146. U.S. Hostage and Wrongful Detainee Day.

“147. Veterans day.

“148. White cane safety day.

“149. Wright Brothers Day.”.

