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[Report No. 119–95]

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 19, 2025

Mr. LUJÁN (for himself and Mr. HEINRICH) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs

NOVEMBER 4, 2025

Reported by Ms. MURKOWSKI, without amendment

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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 “Technical Corrections
 5 to the Northwestern New Mexico Rural Water Projects
 6 Act, Taos Pueblo Indian Water Rights Settlement Act,
 7 and Aamodt Litigation Settlement Act”.

8 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENT OF ADJUSTED IN-**
 9 **TEREST ON THE NAVAJO NATION WATER RE-**
 10 **SOURCES DEVELOPMENT TRUST FUND.**

11 The Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009
 12 (Public Law 111–11) is amended—

13 (1) in section 10701(e)(1)(A)(vii), by striking
 14 “10702.” and inserting “10702, except for deposits
 15 made pursuant to section 10702(g).”; and

16 (2) in section 10702—

17 (A) in subsection (a)(1), by striking “sub-
 18 section (f)” and inserting “subsections (f) and
 19 (g)”; and

20 (B) by adding at the end the following:

21 “(g) ADJUSTED INTEREST PAYMENTS.—In addition
 22 to amounts made available under subsection (f), there is
 23 authorized to be appropriated for deposit in the Trust
 24 Fund \$6,357,674.46.”.

1 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENT OF ADJUSTED IN-**
 2 **TEREST ON THE TAOS PUEBLO WATER DE-**
 3 **VELOPMENT FUND.**

4 The Claims Resolution Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–
 5 291) is amended by adding after section 513 the following:

6 **“SEC. 514. ADJUSTED INTEREST PAYMENTS.**

7 “In addition to the amounts made available under
 8 section 509(c), there is authorized to be appropriated to
 9 the Secretary for deposit into the Taos Pueblo Water De-
 10 velopment Fund established by section 505(a)
 11 \$7,794,297.52.”.

12 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENT OF ADJUSTED IN-**
 13 **TEREST ON THE AAMODT SETTLEMENT**
 14 **PUEBLOS’ FUND.**

15 The Claims Resolution Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–
 16 291) is amended by adding after section 626 the following:

17 **“SEC. 627. INTEREST PAYMENTS.**

18 “(a) ADJUSTED INTEREST PAYMENTS.—In addition
 19 to amounts made available under section 617, there is au-
 20 thorized to be appropriated to the Secretary for deposit
 21 into the Aamodt Settlement Pueblos’ Fund established by
 22 section 615(a) \$4,314,709.18 for the Pueblos’ share of the
 23 costs of operating, maintaining, and replacing the Pueblo
 24 Water Facilities and the Regional Water System, as set
 25 forth in section 617(c)(1)(B).

1 “(b) WAIVER OF PAYMENT.—To the extent monies
 2 are due or payable to the United States attributable to
 3 interest earned on amounts made available under section
 4 617(c)(1)(A) prior to September 15, 2017, the Secretary
 5 of the Treasury shall waive payment of such monies.”.

6 **SEC. 5. DISCLAIMER.**

7 (a) SECTION 509 OF CLAIMS RESOLUTION ACT OF
 8 2010.—Nothing in this Act shall be construed to affect
 9 the previous satisfaction of the conditions precedent in
 10 section 509(f)(2) of the Claims Resolution Act of 2010
 11 (Public Law 111–291) or to affect the validity of the Sec-
 12 retarial finding published in the Federal Register on Octo-
 13 ber 7, 2016, pursuant to section 509(f)(1) of the Claims
 14 Resolution Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–291) that such
 15 conditions precedent were fully satisfied.

16 (b) SECTION 623 OF CLAIMS RESOLUTION ACT OF
 17 2010.—Nothing in this Act shall be construed to affect
 18 the previous satisfaction of the conditions precedent in
 19 section 623(a)(2) of the Claims Resolution Act of 2010
 20 (Public Law 111–291) or to affect the validity of the Sec-
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