

106TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 1872

To direct the Secretary of Transportation to establish a program to designate as an Interstate Oasis certain facilities near the interstate highway system.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 19, 1999

Mr. MORAN of Kansas (for himself, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. TERRY, and Mr. BARCIA) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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 “Interstate Oasis Act
5 of 1999”.

1 **SEC. 2. INTERSTATE OASIS PROGRAM.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 1 of title 23, United
3 States Code, is amended by inserting at the end the fol-
4 lowing:

5 **“§ 165. Interstate Oasis Program**

6 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after
7 the date of enactment of this Act and in consultation with
8 the States and other interested parties, the Secretary of
9 Transportation shall establish a program to designate as
10 Interstate Oases facilities near the Interstate System that
11 offer products and services to the public, if such facilities
12 meet standards to be determined by the Secretary.

13 “(b) STANDARDS FOR DESIGNATION.—The stand-
14 ards for designation under subsection (a) shall include
15 standards relating to the appearance of a facility and its
16 proximity to the Interstate System.

17 “(c) ELIGIBILITY FOR DESIGNATION.—Any facility
18 meeting the standards established by the Secretary under
19 this section shall be eligible for the designation under this
20 section.

21 “(d) LOGO.—The Secretary shall design a logo to be
22 displayed by facilities designated under this section.”.

23 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The analysis for such
24 chapter is amended by adding at the end the following:

“165. Interstate Oasis Program.”.