

108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2327

To amend the National Trails System Act to extend the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail to include additional sites associated with the preparation or return phase of the expedition, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 4, 2003

Mr. GOODE (for himself and Mr. HILL) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

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 “Lewis and Clark Na-

5 tional Historic Trail Extension Act of 2003”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF LEWIS AND CLARK NATIONAL HIS-**2 **TORIC TRAIL.**

3 Section 5(a)(6) of the National Trails System Act (16

4 U.S.C. 1244(a)(6)) is amended—

5 (1) in the first sentence, by striking “The” and

6 inserting “(A) The”; and

7 (2) by adding the following new subparagraph:

8 “(B) In addition to the route designated in subpara-

9 graph (A), the trail shall be extended to include the route

10 followed by Meriwether Lewis and William Clark, whether

11 independently or together, in the preparation phase of the

12 expedition starting at Monticello, located near Charlottes-

13 ville, Virginia, and traveling to Wood River, Illinois, and

14 in the return phase of the expedition from Saint Louis,

15 Missouri, to Washington, DC. The extended route shall

16 include designated Lewis and Clark sites in Virginia, the

17 District of Columbia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania,

18 West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, and

19 Illinois. The Secretary shall complete a general manage-

20 ment plan to include the extended route within three years

21 from the date funds are first made available for that pur-

22 pose.”.

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