

108TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 4242

To transfer jurisdiction over certain public lands from the Bureau of Land Management to the Department of Defense.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 28, 2004

Mr. PEARCE (for himself and Mr. LEWIS of California) 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. TRANSFER OF JURISDICTION OVER CERTAIN**
4 **PUBLIC LANDS TO DEPARTMENT OF DE-**
5 **FENSE.**

6 (a) JURISDICTION TRANSFER.—The Secretary of the
7 Interior shall transfer to the Secretary of Defense jurisdic-
8 tion over all public lands—

9 (1) under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of
10 Land Management;

1 (2) withdrawn from appropriation under the
2 public land laws; and

3 (3) reserved for use by the Armed Forces for
4 military activities.

5 (b) DEADLINE.—The transfer shall be accomplished
6 not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of
7 this section.

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