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S. 2509

To extend the water service contract for the Ainsworth Unit, Sandhills Division, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Nebraska.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 8, 2004

Mr. HAGEL introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural 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. AINSWORTH UNIT, SANDHILLS DIVISION, PICK-**
4 **SLOAN MISSOURI BASIN PROGRAM.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior shall
6 extend for the period described in subsection (b) the water
7 service contract for the Ainsworth Unit, Sandhills Divi-
8 sion, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Nebraska, con-
9 sisting of—

1 (1) the water service contract entered into by
2 the Secretary of the Interior under—

3 (A) section 9(e) of the Reclamation Project
4 Act of 1939 (43 U.S.C. 485h(e));

5 (B) section 9(c) of the Act of December
6 22, 1944 (58 Stat. 887, chapter 665);

7 (C) the Act of August 21, 1954 (68 Stat.
8 757, chapter 781); and

9 (D) the Act of May 18, 1956 (70 Stat.
10 160, chapter 285); and

11 (2) the water service contract for the set project
12 located in Cherry, Brown, and Rock Counties, Ne-
13 braska, for the use of a part of the waters of the
14 Snake River, a tributary of the Niobrara River.

15 (b) PERIOD OF EXTENSION.—The water service con-
16 tract described in subsection (a) shall be extended for 4
17 years after the date on which the contract expires under
18 the water service contract and law in existence before the
19 date of enactment of this Act.

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