110TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 4096

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 6, 2007

Mr. Hunter introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 "Wild Fire Prevention
- 5 Act".

1 SEC. 2. CREATION OF FIRE BREAKS NOT RESTRICTED BY

- 2 FEDERAL LAW.
- 3 No Federal law shall prohibit or restrict private prop-
- 4 erty owners or local communities that manage public land
- 5 from clearing brush or making other modifications to their
- 6 property for the purpose of creating fire breaks in order
- 7 to protect human lives and property.

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