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S. 3565

To provide for the conveyance of certain Bureau of Land Management land in Mohave County, Arizona, to the Arizona Game and Fish Commission, for use as a public shooting range.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 12, 2010

Mr. MCCAIN (for himself and Mr. KYL) 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Mohave Valley Land
5 Conveyance Act of 2010”.

6 **SEC. 2. PURPOSES.**

7 The purposes of this Act are—

1 (1) to provide a suitable location for the estab-
2 lishment of a centralized, public, multipurpose shoot-
3 ing range in the County; and

4 (2) to provide the public with—

5 (A) opportunities for education and recre-
6 ation;

7 (B) a location for competitive events and
8 marksmanship training; and

9 (C) a location for local law enforcement of-
10 ficers to practice and improve their marksman-
11 ship skills so that the officers do not have to
12 leave the area to practice those skills.

13 **SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.**

14 In this Act:

15 (1) COMMISSION.—The term “Commission”
16 means the Arizona Game and Fish Commission.

17 (2) COUNTY.—The term “County” means Mo-
18 have County, Arizona.

19 (3) FEDERAL LAND.—The term “Federal land”
20 means the public land in the County, comprising ap-
21 proximately 315 acres as generally depicted on the
22 map entitled “Boundary Cone Road Location” [and
23 dated _____, 2010].

1 (4) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means
2 the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Di-
3 rector of the Bureau of Land Management.

4 **SEC. 4. CONVEYANCE OF PUBLIC LAND IN MOHAVE COUN-**
5 **TY, ARIZONA.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after the
7 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall convey
8 to the Commission all right, title, and interest of the
9 United States in and to the Federal land for use as a pub-
10 lic shooting range.

11 (b) APPLICABLE LAW.—

12 (1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other
13 provision of law (including regulations), with respect
14 to the conveyance under subsection (a), the Mohave
15 Valley Shooting Range Environmental Assessment/
16 Plan Amendment Record of Decision dated Feb-
17 ruary 8, 2010, is final and determined to be legally
18 sufficient for the purposes of, but not limited to—

19 (A) the National Environmental Policy Act
20 of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.); and

21 (B) the National Historic Preservation Act
22 (16 U.S.C. 470 et seq.).

23 (2) TREATMENT OF RECORD.—The record of
24 decision referred to in paragraph (1) shall not be

1 subject to judicial review by any court of the United
2 States.

3 (c) ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS.—If the Commission ac-
4 cepts the conveyance of the Federal land, the Commission
5 shall be responsible for paying all administrative costs nec-
6 essary for the preparation and completion of any patents
7 of and transfer of title to the Federal land under sub-
8 section (a).

9 (d) REQUIREMENT.—The land conveyed under sub-
10 section (a) shall be managed by the Commission for recre-
11 ation or other public purposes, consistent with the Act of
12 June 14, 1926 (commonly known as the “Recreation and
13 Public Purposes Act”) (43 U.S.C. 869 et seq.).

14 (e) REVERSION.—If the Federal land ceases to be
15 used for public purposes, the Federal land shall, at the
16 option of the Secretary, revert to the United States.

17 (f) CORRECTION OF MAP ERRORS.—The Secretary
18 may correct any clerical or typographical error in the map
19 referred to in section 3(3).

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