

Union Calendar No. 244

113TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 908

[Report No. 113–328]

To preserve the Green Mountain Lookout in the Glacier Peak Wilderness
of the Mount Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 28, 2013

Ms. DELBENE (for herself and Mr. LARSEN of Washington) introduced the
following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

JANUARY 23 (legislative day, JANUARY 21), 2014

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union
and ordered to be printed

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 “Green Mountain Look-
5 out Heritage Protection Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. CLARIFICATION OF LEGAL AUTHORITY OF GREEN**
7 **MOUNTAIN LOOKOUT.**

8 (a) LEGAL AUTHORITY OF LOOKOUT.—Section 4(b)
9 of the Washington State Wilderness Act of 1984 (Public
10 Law 98–339; 98 Stat. 300; 16 U.S.C. 1131 note) is
11 amended by striking the period at the end and inserting
12 the following: “, and except that with respect to the lands
13 described in section 3(5), the designation of such lands
14 as a wilderness area shall not preclude the operation and
15 maintenance of Green Mountain Lookout.”

16 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
17 this section shall take effect as if included in the enact-
18 ment of the Washington State Wilderness Act of 1984.

19 **SEC. 3. PRESERVATION OF GREEN MOUNTAIN LOOKOUT**
20 **LOCATION.**

21 The Secretary of Agriculture, acting through the
22 Chief of the Forest Service, may not move Green Moun-
23 tain Lookout from its current location on Green Mountain
24 in the Mount Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest unless
25 the Secretary determines that moving Green Mountain

1 Lookout is necessary to preserve the Lookout or to ensure
2 the safety of individuals on or around Green Mountain.
3 If the Secretary makes such a determination, the Sec-
4 retary shall move the Green Mountain Lookout to a loca-
5 tion outside of the lands described in section 3(5) of the
6 Washington State Wilderness Act of 1984 and designated
7 as a wilderness area in section 4(b) of such Act.

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