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S. 920

To allow the Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa in the State of Minnesota to lease or transfer certain land.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 9, 2013

Mr. FRANKEN (for himself and Ms. KLOBUCHAR) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs

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 “Fond du Lac Band
5 of Lake Superior Chippewa Non-Intercourse Act of
6 2013”.

7 **SEC. 2. CONGRESSIONAL APPROVAL OF CERTAIN LAND**
8 **TRANSACTIONS.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
10 sion of law, and without further approval, ratification, or

1 authorization by the United States, the Fond du Lac
2 Band of Lake Superior Chippewa in the State of Min-
3 nesota (referred to in this Act as the “Band”) may lease,
4 sell, convey, warrant, or otherwise transfer all or any por-
5 tion of the interest of the Band in any real property that
6 is not held in trust by the United States for the benefit
7 of the Band.

8 (b) NO EFFECT ON TRUST LAND.—Nothing in this
9 Act—

10 (1) authorizes the Band to lease, sell, convey,
11 warrant, or otherwise transfer all or any portion of
12 any interest in any real property that is held in trust
13 by the United States for the benefit of the Band; or

14 (2) affects any Federal law (including regula-
15 tions) relating to leasing, selling, conveying, war-
16 ranting, or otherwise transferring any interest in the
17 real property described in paragraph (1).

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