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To authorize the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution to plan, design, and construct a central parking facility on National Zoological Park property in Washington, D.C.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

October 5, 2017

Mr. PERDUE (for himself, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. LEAHY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

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 "Smithsonian National
- 5 Zoological Park Central Parking Facility Authorization6 Act".

SEC. 2. FACILITY FOR IMPROVED VISITOR EXPERIENCE AND ACCESS AT THE NATIONAL ZOOLOGICAL PARK.

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—In order to improve visitor experi5 ence and multi-modal access to the Smithsonian National
6 Zoological Park, the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian
7 Institution is authorized to plan, design, and construct a
8 central parking facility on National Zoological Park prop9 erty in Washington, D.C.

10 (b) CENTRAL PARKING FACILITY.—The facility au-11 thorized under this section may include parking, transpor-12 tation improvements, visitor amenities including rest-13 rooms, a pedestrian bridge to a midpoint entry of the Na-14 tional Zoological Park, and ancillary works to accommo-15 date alternative uses of the facility.

(c) FUNDING.—Construction of the facility described
in this section shall be conducted with funds from nonappropriated sources.

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