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# S. 4830

To reaffirm actions taken by the Secretary of the Interior for the benefit of Indian Tribes, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 13, 2022

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

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## 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. RATIFICATION AND CONFIRMATION OF AC-**  
4 **TIONS.**

5 Any action taken by the Secretary of the Interior pur-  
6 suant to the Act of June 18, 1934 (commonly known as  
7 the “Indian Reorganization Act”) (48 Stat. 984, chapter  
8 576; 25 U.S.C. 5101 et seq.), for any Indian Tribe that  
9 was federally recognized on the date of the action is rati-  
10 fied and confirmed, to the extent such action is subjected

1 to challenge based on whether the Indian Tribe was feder-  
2 ally recognized or under Federal jurisdiction on June 18,  
3 1934, as if the action had, by prior Act of Congress, been  
4 specifically authorized and directed.

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