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2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# S. 2482

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 30 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 12), 1994

Mr. WOFFORD introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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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. RESTORATION OF WASHINGTON SQUARE.**

4       (a) RESTORATION.—The Secretary of the Interior  
5       (acting through the Director of the National Park Service)  
6       may provide a grant to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to un-  
7       dertake the restoration of the area known as Washington  
8       Square, as depicted on the map numbered \_\_\_\_\_, and dated

1 \_\_\_\_\_. Such grant may not be used to fund more than 66.6  
2 percent of the costs of such restoration. The grant shall  
3 be conditioned on the conduct of such restoration in ac-  
4 cordance with such standards as may be established by  
5 the Secretary in order to facilitate the inclusion of the  
6 square in Independence National Historical Park pursu-  
7 ant to section 2 of this Act.

8 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is  
9 authorized to be appropriated for the purposes of this sec-  
10 tion not more than \$2,600,000 for the fiscal year 1995.

11 **SEC. 2. INCLUSION WITHIN INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL**  
12 **HISTORICAL PARK.**

13 Upon completion of the restoration, pursuant to sec-  
14 tion 1, of Washington Square (as depicted on the map re-  
15 ferred to in section 1), the Secretary of the Interior may—

16 (1) enter into an agreement with Philadelphia,  
17 Pennsylvania, for the lease of the area to the Na-  
18 tional Park Service; and

19 (2) modify the boundaries of Independence Na-  
20 tional Historical Park to include such area within  
21 such boundaries and to provide for the administra-  
22 tion of such area as part of such Park.

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