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# S. 1766

To amend the Utah School and Lands Improvement Act of 1993 to provide for lands for the Goshute Indian Reservation, and for other purposes.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 16, 1996

Mr. BENNETT 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. ADDITION OF CERTAIN UTAH STATE LANDS TO**  
4       **GOSHUTE INDIAN RESERVATION.**

5       The Utah Schools and Lands Improvement Act of  
6       1993 (107 Stat. 995 et seq.) is amended—

7               (1) by redesignating section 11 as section 12;  
8       and

9               (2) by inserting after section 10 the following  
10       new section:

1 **“SEC. 11. ADDITIONAL GOSHUTE INDIAN RESERVATION**  
2 **LANDS.**

3 “(a) FURTHER ADDITIONS TO GOSHUTE RESERVA-  
4 TION.—

5 “(1) IN GENERAL.—In addition to the lands re-  
6 ferred to in section 3, for the purpose of securing in  
7 trust for the Goshute Indian Tribe certain additional  
8 public lands and lands belonging to the State of  
9 Utah, which comprise approximately 8,000 acres of  
10 surface and subsurface estate, as generally depicted  
11 on the map entitled ‘Additional Utah-Goshute Ex-  
12 change’, dated July 1, 1994, such public lands and  
13 State lands are hereby declared to be part of the  
14 Goshute Indian Reservation in the State of Utah.

15 “(2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The declaration under  
16 paragraph (1) shall become effective upon—

17 “(A) the completion of conveyance of the  
18 State lands from the State of Utah; and

19 “(B) the acceptance of title by the United  
20 States.

21 “(b) AUTHORIZATION.—

22 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to paragraph (2),  
23 the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to acquire  
24 through exchange the lands and interests in land  
25 that are owned by the State of Utah, as described  
26 in subsection (a)(1).

1           “(2) VALID EXISTING RIGHTS.—Any lands and  
2 interests in land acquired under paragraph (1) shall  
3 be subject to valid existing rights.

4           “(c) APPLICATION OF OTHER PROVISIONS.—

5           “(1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in para-  
6 graph (2), the remaining provisions of this Act that  
7 are applicable to lands designated for transfer to the  
8 Goshute Indian Tribe pursuant to section 3 shall  
9 apply to the lands subject to this section.

10           “(2) COSTS OF APPRAISAL.—The Goshute In-  
11 dian Tribe shall be responsible for payment of the  
12 costs of appraisal of the lands designated for acqui-  
13 sition pursuant to this section. The costs referred to  
14 in the preceding sentence shall be paid before the  
15 transfer of the lands.”.

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