

104TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 590

For the relief of Matt Clawson.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 22 (legislative day, MARCH 16), 1995

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

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. RELIEF.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Treasury
5 shall pay, out of funds in the Treasury not otherwise ap-
6 propriated, the sum of \$87,674 to Mr. Clawson in full set-
7 tlement of a claim against the United States for losses
8 incurred as a result of his good faith reliance on the ap-
9 proval of the Forest Service of his claim for a placer mine
10 of approximately 20 acres outside the wilderness area and
11 above the ordinary high water mark of the Middle Fork
12 of the Salmon River in Idaho.

1 (b) LIMITATION.—Not more than 10 percent of the
2 amount made available under subsection (a) shall be paid
3 or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on
4 account of service rendered in connection with the claim,
5 any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Violation of
6 this subsection is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not
7 to exceed \$10,000.

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