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# S. 1159

To amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, regarding the Kake Tribal Corporation public interest land exchange.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 10, 1997

Mr. MURKOWSKI 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Kake Tribal Corpora-  
5       tion Land Exchange Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT OF SETTLEMENT ACT.**

7       The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (Public  
8       Law 92–203, December 18, 1971, 85 Stat. 688, 43 U.S.C.  
9       1601 et seq.), as amended, is further amended by adding  
10      at the end thereof:



MUNICIPAL WATERSHED

T56S, R72E

<b>Section</b>	<b>Approximate acres</b>
13 .....	82
23 .....	118
24 .....	635
25 .....	640
26 .....	346
34 .....	9
35 .....	349
36 .....	248
Approximate total .....	2,427

1       and

2               “(2) the approximate 2,427 acres of land to be  
3       conveyed to Kake Tribal Corporation is land in the  
4       Hamilton Bay and Saginaw Bay areas and shall be  
5       conveyed within 90 days after the conveyance of  
6       lands in subsection (c)(1); this land is depicted on  
7       the maps dated                               and labeled Attach-  
8       ments B and C.

9       “(d) MANAGEMENT OF WATERSHED.—The United  
10       States Forest Service shall enter into a Memorandum of  
11       Agreement with the City of Kake, Alaska, to provide for  
12       management of the municipal watershed.

13       “(e) TIMBER MANUFACTURING; EXPORT RESTRIC-  
14       TION.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, tim-  
15       ber harvested from land conveyed to Kake Tribal Corpora-  
16       tion under this Act is not available for export as unproc-  
17       essed logs from Alaska, nor may Kake Tribal Corporation  
18       sell, trade, exchange, substitute, or otherwise convey that  
19       timber to any person for the purpose of exporting that

1 timber from the State of Alaska. The land exchange valu-  
2 ation shall be in accordance with section 22(f).

3       “(f) RELATION TO OTHER REQUIREMENTS.—The  
4 land conveyed to Kake Tribal Corporation and Sealaska  
5 Corporation under this section shall be for all purposes,  
6 considered land conveyed under the Alaska Native Claims  
7 Settlement Act.

8       “(g) MAPS.—The maps referred to in this section  
9 shall be maintained on file in the Office of the Chief, Unit-  
10 ed States Forest Service, and in the Office of the Sec-  
11 retary of the Interior, Washington, DC. The acreage cited  
12 in this section is approximate, and if a discrepancy arises  
13 between cited acreage and the land depicted on the speci-  
14 fied maps the maps shall control. The maps do not con-  
15 stitute an attempt by the United States to convey State  
16 or private land.”

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