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[Report No. 106-334]

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Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

JULY 10, 2000

Reported by Mr. MURKOWSKI, with an amendment

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in *italie*]

AN ACT

To provide for the placement at the Lincoln Memorial of
a plaque commemorating the speech of Martin Luther
King, Jr., known as the “I Have A Dream” speech.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. ADDITION OF PLAQUE AT LINCOLN MEMORIAL**
 2 **COMMEMORATING MARTIN LUTHER KING,**
 3 **JUNIOR'S, I HAVE A DREAM SPEECH.**

4 (a) **PLACEMENT OF PLAQUE.**—The Secretary of the
 5 Interior shall insert on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial
 6 in the District of Columbia a suitable plaque to commemo-
 7 rate the speech of Martin Luther King, Jr., known as the
 8 “I Have A Dream” speech. The plaque shall be placed
 9 at the location on the steps where Martin Luther King,
 10 Jr., delivered the speech on August 28, 1963.

11 (b) **ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRIBUTIONS.**—The Sec-
 12 retary of the Interior may accept contributions to help de-
 13 fray the cost of preparing the plaque and inserting the
 14 plaque on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial as required
 15 by subsection (a). Amounts received shall be credited to
 16 the appropriation supporting the maintenance and oper-
 17 ation of the Lincoln Memorial.

18 **SECTION 1. PLACEMENT OF PLAQUE AT LINCOLN MEMO-**
 19 **RIAL.**

20 (a) **PLACEMENT OF PLAQUE.**—

21 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Secretary of the Interior*
 22 *shall install in the area of the Lincoln Memorial in*
 23 *the District of Columbia a suitable plaque to com-*
 24 *memorate the speech of Martin Luther King, Jr.,*
 25 *known as the “I Have A Dream” speech.*

1 (2) *RELATION TO COMMEMORATIVE WORKS*
2 *ACT.—The Commemorative Works Act (40 U.S.C.*
3 *1001 et seq.) shall apply to the design and placement*
4 *of the plaque within the area of the Lincoln Memo-*
5 *rial.*

6 (b) *ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRIBUTIONS.—*

7 (1) *IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior*
8 *is authorized to accept and expand contributions to-*
9 *ward the cost of preparing and installing the plaque,*
10 *without further appropriation. Federal funds may be*
11 *used to design, procure, or install the plaque.*

Passed the House of Representatives November 9,
1999.

Attest:

JEFF TRANDAHL,
Clerk.

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