106TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 5331

To authorize the Frederick Douglass Gardens, Inc., to establish a memorial and gardens on Department of the Interior lands in the District of Columbia or its environs in honor and commemoration of Frederick Douglass.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

September 28, 2000

Mr. Davis of Illinois (for himself, Mr. Shimkus, Mr. Talent, Mr. Watts of Oklahoma, Ms. Norton, Mr. Hilliard, Mr. Clay, Ms. Lee, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. Jones of Ohio, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. Wynn, Mr. Clyburn, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Mrs. Christensen, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Towns, Mr. Frost, Mr. Evans, Mr. Owens, Mr. Dixon, Mr. Cummings, Ms. Millender-McDonald, Mr. Meeks of New York, Mr. Crowley, Mr. Faleomavaega, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. FORD, Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. Davis of Virginia, Mr. Dicks, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. LaTourette, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. McKinney, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Baca, Mr. Pascrell, Mr. Saxton, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Rush, Mr. George Miller of California, Mr. Pastor, Mr. Capuano, Mrs. Lowey, Mr. Lazio, Mr. Franks of New Jersey, Mr. Pomeroy, Mr. Ewing, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota, Ms. Kilpatrick, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Ms. Rivers, Ms. Carson, Mr. SESSIONS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. Scott, Ms. Waters, Mr. Nadler, Mr. SABO, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. Brady of Pennsylvania, Mr. McNulty, Mrs. Mink of Hawaii, and Mr. SNYDER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on 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. MEMORIAL AND GARDENS TO HONOR AND
- 4 COMMEMORATE FREDERICK DOUGLASS.
- 5 (a) Memorial and Gardens Authorized.—The
- 6 Frederick Douglass Gardens, Inc., is authorized to estab-
- 7 lish a memorial and gardens on lands under the adminis-
- 8 trative jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior in the
- 9 District of Columbia or its environs in honor and com-
- 10 memoration of Frederick Douglass.
- 11 (b) Compliance With Standards for Commemo-
- 12 RATIVE WORKS.—The establishment of the Frederick
- 13 Douglass memorial and gardens shall be in accordance
- 14 with the Commemorative Works Act (40 U.S.C. 1001 et
- 15 seq.).
- 16 (c) Payment of Expenses.—The Frederick Doug-
- 17 lass Gardens, Inc., shall be solely responsible for accept-
- 18 ance of contributions for, and payment of the expenses
- 19 of, the establishment of the memorial and gardens. No
- 20 Federal funds may be used to pay any expense of the es-
- 21 tablishment of the memorial and gardens.
- 22 (d) Deposit of Excess Funds.—If, upon payment
- 23 of all expenses of the establishment of the memorial and
- 24 gardens (including the maintenance and preservation

- 1 amount required under section 8(b) of the Commemora-
- 2 tive Works Act (40 U.S.C. 1008(b)), or upon expiration
- 3 of the authority for the memorial and gardens under sec-
- 4 tion 10(b) of such Act (40 U.S.C. 1010(b)), there remains
- 5 a balance of funds received for the establishment of the
- 6 memorial and gardens, Frederick Douglass Gardens, Inc.,
- 7 shall transmit the amount of the balance to the Secretary
- 8 of the Treasury for deposit in the account provided for
- 9 in section 8(b)(1) of such Act (40 U.S.C. 1008(b)(1)).

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