

106TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 2691

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## AN ACT

To provide further protections for the watershed of the Little Sandy River as part of the Bull Run Watershed Management Unit, Oregon, and for other purposes.

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. INCLUSION OF ADDITIONAL PORTION OF THE**  
2 **LITTLE SANDY RIVER WATERSHED IN THE**  
3 **BULL RUN WATERSHED MANAGEMENT UNIT,**  
4 **OREGON.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Public Law 95–200 (16 U.S.C.  
6 482b note) is amended by striking section 1 and inserting  
7 the following:

8 **“SECTION 1. ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL RESOURCES**  
9 **MANAGEMENT UNIT; DEFINITION OF SEC-**  
10 **RETARY.**

11 “(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—

12 “(1) IN GENERAL.—There is established, sub-  
13 ject to valid existing rights, a special resources man-  
14 agement unit in the State of Oregon comprising ap-  
15 proximately 98,272 acres, as depicted on a map  
16 dated May 2000, and entitled ‘Bull Run Watershed  
17 Management Unit’.

18 “(2) MAP.—The map described in paragraph  
19 (1) shall be on file and available for public inspec-  
20 tion in the offices of the Regional Forester-Pacific  
21 Northwest Region, Forest Service, Department of  
22 Agriculture, and in the offices of the State Director,  
23 Bureau of Land Management, Department of the  
24 Interior.

25 “(3) BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS.—Minor adjust-  
26 ments in the boundaries of the unit may be made

1 from time to time by the Secretary after consulta-  
2 tion with the city and appropriate public notice and  
3 hearings.

4 “(b) DEFINITION OF SECRETARY.—In this Act, the  
5 term ‘Secretary’ means—

6 “(1) with respect to land administered by the  
7 Secretary of Agriculture, the Secretary of Agri-  
8 culture; and

9 “(2) with respect to land administered by the  
10 Secretary of the Interior, the Secretary of the Inte-  
11 rior.”.

12 (b) CONFORMING AND TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.—

13 (1) SECRETARY.—Public Law 95–200 (16  
14 U.S.C. 482b note) is amended by striking “Sec-  
15 retary of Agriculture” each place it appears (except  
16 subsection (b) of section 1, as added by subsection  
17 (a), and except in the amendments made by para-  
18 graph (2)) and inserting “Secretary”.

19 (2) APPLICABLE LAW.—

20 (A) IN GENERAL.—Section 2(a) of Public  
21 Law 95–200 (16 U.S.C. 482b note) is amended  
22 by striking “applicable to National Forest Sys-  
23 tem lands” and inserting “applicable to Na-  
24 tional Forest System land (in the case of land  
25 administered by the Secretary of Agriculture)

or applicable to land under the administrative jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management (in the case of land administered by the Secretary of the Interior)".

(B) MANAGEMENT PLANS.—The first sentence of section 2(c) of Public Law 95–200 (16 U.S.C. 482b note) is amended—

(i) by striking “subsection (a) and (b)” and inserting “subsections (a) and (b)”; and

(ii) by striking “, through the maintenance” and inserting “(in the case of land administered by the Secretary of Agriculture) or section 202 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1712) (in the case of land administered by the Secretary of the Interior), through the maintenance”.

**SEC. 2. MANAGEMENT.**

(a) TIMBER HARVESTING RESTRICTIONS.—Section 2(b) of Public Law 95–200 (16 U.S.C. 482b note) is amended by striking paragraph (1) and inserting the following:

“(1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to paragraph (2), the Secretary shall prohibit the cutting of trees on

1 Federal land in the entire unit, as designated in sec-  
2 tion 1 and depicted on the map referred to in that  
3 section.”.

4 (b) REPEAL OF MANAGEMENT EXCEPTION.—The  
5 Oregon Resource Conservation Act of 1996 (division B of  
6 Public Law 104–208) is amended by striking section 606  
7 (110 Stat. 3009–543).

8 (c) REPEAL OF DUPLICATIVE ENACTMENT.—Section  
9 1026 of division I of the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands  
10 Management Act of 1996 (Public Law 104–333; 110 Stat.  
11 4228) and the amendments made by that section are re-  
12 pealed.

13 (d) WATER RIGHTS.—Nothing in this section  
14 strengthens, diminishes, or has any other effect on water  
15 rights held by any person or entity.

16 **SEC. 3. LAND RECLASSIFICATION.**

17 (a) Within 6 months of the date of enactment of this  
18 Act, the Secretaries of Agriculture and Interior shall iden-  
19 tify any Oregon and California Railroad lands (O&C  
20 lands) subject to the distribution provision of the Act of  
21 August 28, 1937 (chapter 876, title II, 50 Stat. 875; 43  
22 U.S.C. sec. 1181f) within the boundary of the special re-  
23 sources management area described in section 1 of this  
24 Act.

1       (b) Within 18 months of the date of enactment of  
2 this Act, the Secretary of the Interior shall identify public  
3 domain lands within the Medford, Roseburg, Eugene,  
4 Salem and Coos Bay Districts and the Klamath Resource  
5 Area of the Lakeview District of the Bureau of Land Man-  
6 agement approximately equal in size and condition as  
7 those lands identified in subsection (a) but not subject to  
8 the Act of August 28, 1937 (chapter 876, title II, 50 Stat.  
9 875; 43 U.S.C. sec. 1181a–f). For purposes of this sub-  
10 section, “public domain lands” shall have the meaning  
11 given the term “public lands” in section 103 of the Fed-  
12 eral Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C.  
13 1702), but excluding therefrom any lands managed pursu-  
14 ant to the Act of August 28, 1937 (chapter 876, title II,  
15 50 Stat. 875; 43 U.S.C. 1181a–f).

16       (c) Within 2 years after the date of enactment of this  
17 Act, the Secretary of the Interior shall submit to Congress  
18 and publish in the Federal Register a map or maps identi-  
19 fying those public domain lands pursuant to subsections  
20 (a) and (b) of this section. After an opportunity for public  
21 comment, the Secretary of the Interior shall complete an  
22 administrative land reclassification such that those lands  
23 identified pursuant to subsection (a) become public do-  
24 main lands not subject to the distribution provision of the  
25 Act of August 28, 1937 (chapter 876, title II, 50 Stat.

1 875; 43 U.S.C. Sec. 1181f) and those lands identified pur-  
 2 suant to subsection (b) become Oregon and California  
 3 Railroad lands (O&C lands) subject to the Act of August  
 4 28, 1937 (chapter 876, title II, 50 Stat. 875; 43 U.S.C.  
 5 1181a–f).

6 **SEC. 4. ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—In order to further the purposes  
 8 of this Act, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated  
 9 \$10,000,000 under the provisions of section 323 of the  
 10 FY 1999 Interior Appropriations Act (P.L. 105–277) for  
 11 Clackamas County, Oregon, for watershed restoration, ex-  
 12 cept timber extraction, that protects or enhances water  
 13 quality or relates to the recovery of species listed pursuant  
 14 to the Endangered Species Act (P.L. 93–205) near the  
 15 Bull Run Management Unit.

Passed the Senate October 5 (legislative day, Sep-  
 tember 22), 2000.

Attest:

*Secretary.*





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