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H. R. 107

[Report No. 107-220]

To require that the Secretary of the Interior conduct a study to identify sites and resources, to recommend alternatives for commemorating and interpreting the Cold War, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 3, 2001

Mr. HEFLEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Resources

SEPTEMBER 28, 2001

Additional sponsor: Mr. GIBBONS

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Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole
House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on January 3, 2001]

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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. COLD WAR STUDY.**

4 (a) *SUBJECT OF STUDY.*—*The Secretary of the Inte-*
5 *rior, in consultation with the Secretary of Defense, State*
6 *historic preservation offices, State and local officials, Cold*
7 *War scholars, and other interested organizations and indi-*
8 *viduals, shall conduct a National Historic Landmark theme*
9 *study to identify sites and resources in the United States*
10 *that are significant to the Cold War. In conducting the*
11 *study, the Secretary of the Interior shall—*

12 (1) *consider the inventory of sites and resources*
13 *associated with the Cold War completed by the Sec-*
14 *retary of Defense pursuant to section 8120(b)(9) of*
15 *the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 1991*
16 *(Public Law 101–511; 104 Stat. 1906);*

17 (2) *consider historical studies and research of*
18 *Cold War sites and resources such as intercontinental*
19 *ballistic missiles, flight training centers, manufac-*
20 *turing facilities, communications and command cen-*
21 *ters (such as Cheyenne Mountain, Colorado), defensive*
22 *radar networks (such as the Distant Early Warning*
23 *Line), and strategic and tactical aircraft; and*

1 (3) *inventory and consider nonmilitary sites and*
2 *resources associated with the people, events, and social*
3 *aspects of the Cold War.*

4 **(b) CONTENTS.**—*The study shall include—*

5 (1) *recommendations for commemorating and in-*
6 *terpreting sites and resources identified by the study,*
7 *including—*

8 (A) *sites for which studies for potential in-*
9 *clusion in the National Park System should be*
10 *authorized;*

11 (B) *sites for which new national historic*
12 *landmarks should be nominated;*

13 (C) *recommendations on the suitability and*
14 *feasibility of establishing a central repository for*
15 *Cold War artifacts and information; and*

16 (D) *other appropriate designations;*

17 (2) *recommendations for cooperative arrange-*
18 *ments with State and local governments, local histor-*
19 *ical organizations, and other entities; and*

20 (3) *cost estimates for carrying out each of those*
21 *recommendations.*

22 **(c) GUIDELINES.**—*The study shall be—*

23 (1) *conducted with public involvement; and*

24 (2) *submitted to the Committee on Resources of*
25 *the House of Representatives and the Committee on*

1 *Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate no later*
2 *than 3 years after the date that funds are made avail-*
3 *able for the study.*

4 **SEC. 2. INTERPRETIVE HANDBOOK ON THE COLD WAR.**

5 *Not later than 4 years after funds are made available*
6 *for that purpose, the Secretary of the Interior shall prepare*
7 *and publish an interpretive handbook on the Cold War and*
8 *shall disseminate information gathered through the study*
9 *through appropriate means in addition to the handbook.*

10 **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

11 *There are authorized to be appropriated \$300,000 to*
12 *carry out this Act.*

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