

**Union Calendar No. 30**107<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION**H. R. 146****[Report No. 107-47]**

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Great Falls Historic District in Paterson, New Jersey, as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes.

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**IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

JANUARY 3, 2001

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

APRIL 24, 2001

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Great Falls Historic  
3 District Study Act of 2001”.

4 **SEC. 2. NATIONAL PARK SERVICE STUDY REGARDING**  
5 **GREAT FALLS HISTORIC DISTRICT,**  
6 **PATERSON, NEW JERSEY.**

7 (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

8 (1) GREAT FALLS HISTORIC DISTRICT.—The  
9 term “Great Falls Historic District” means the  
10 Great Falls Historic District in the city of Paterson,  
11 New Jersey, established as an historic district by  
12 section 510 of the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands  
13 Management Act of 1996 (Public Law 104–333;  
14 110 Stat. 4158; 16 U.S.C. 461 note).

15 (2) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means  
16 the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Di-  
17 rector of the National Park Service.

18 (b) STUDY.—As soon as practicable after funds are  
19 made available to carry out this section, the Secretary  
20 shall commence a study regarding the suitability and feasi-  
21 bility of further recognizing the historic and cultural sig-  
22 nificance of the lands and structures of the Great Falls  
23 Historic District through the designation of the Great  
24 Falls Historic District as a unit of the National Park Sys-  
25 tem.

1       (c) STUDY PROCESS AND COMPLETION.—Section  
2 8(c) of Public Law 91–383 (16 U.S.C. 1a–5(c)) shall  
3 apply to the study required by this section.

4       (d) SUBMISSION.—The Secretary shall submit to the  
5 Committee on Resources of the House of Representatives  
6 and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of  
7 the Senate a report describing the results of the study.

8       (e) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There  
9 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are nec-  
10 essary to carry out this section.

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