

107TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 1538

For the relief of Thomas McDermott, Sr.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 4, 2001

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

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## 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. AUTHORIZATION OF PURCHASE.**

4 Thomas McDermott, Senior, of Oshkosh, Wisconsin,  
5 is authorized to purchase, at fair market value, the real  
6 property of the United States in Grant County, New Mex-  
7 ico, to which Mr. McDermott's mineral patent application  
8 applied and the Bureau of Land Management of the De-  
9 partment of the Interior is directed to enter into negotia-  
10 tions with Mr. McDermott for the purchase of such real  
11 property. Such application is Mr. McDermott's application  
12 filed under the Act of May 10, 1872 (30 U.S.C. 22 et

1 seq.) (referred to as the “1872 Mining Law”) identified  
2 as mineral patent application NMNM 78359. Such pur-  
3 chase shall be made not later than 6 months after the date  
4 of the enactment of this Act.

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