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# H. R. 3718

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 12, 2002

Mrs. BONO 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Little San Bernardino  
5       Mountains Right-of-Way Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. RIGHT-OF-WAY.**

7       (a) RIGHT-OF-WAY GRANTED.—

8               (1) IN GENERAL.—RM Broadcasting of Palm  
9       Springs, California (and its successors) is hereby  
10      granted a right-of-way to the approximately  $\frac{7}{10}$  of

1 a mile portion of the road described in paragraph  
2 (2) that traverses through Joshua Tree National  
3 Park and Joshua Tree Wilderness.

4 (2) ROAD DESCRIBED.—The road referred to in  
5 paragraph (1) is the unimproved service road that  
6 exists on the date of the enactment of this Act be-  
7 tween Dillon Road in Riverside County, California,  
8 and RM Broadcasting’s telecommunications tower  
9 site.

10 (b) USE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY.—The right-of-way  
11 granted pursuant to subsection (a) shall be used only to  
12 access RM Broadcasting’s telecommunications tower site  
13 located outside of Joshua Tree National Park and Joshua  
14 Tree Wilderness.

15 (c) COMPENSATION.—RM Broadcasting shall pay an-  
16 nual compensation for the right-of-way, the amount of  
17 which shall be determined under Federal regulations gen-  
18 erally governing the calculation of compensation for right-  
19 of-ways. That compensation shall be available for use by  
20 the Secretary without further appropriation for purposes  
21 of Joshua Tree National Park.

22 (d) APPROVAL.—In addition to the conditions de-  
23 scribed in subsections (b) and (c), the right-of-way grant-

1 ed pursuant to subsection (a) shall not be valid until ap-  
2 proved by the Secretary.

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