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AN ACT

To provide for the expeditious completion of the acquisition of State of Wyoming lands within the boundaries of Grand Teton National Park, 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,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Grand Teton National
- 5 Park Land Exchange Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.
- 7 As used in this Act:

1	(1) The term "Federal lands" means public
2	lands as defined in section 103(e) of the Federal
3	Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43
4	U.S.C. 1702(e)).
5	(2) The term "Governor" means the Governor
6	of the State of Wyoming.
7	(3) The term "Secretary" means the Secretary
8	of the Interior.
9	(4) The term "State lands" means lands and
10	interest in lands owned by the State of Wyoming
11	within the boundaries of Grand Teton National Park
12	as identified on a map titled "Private, State &
13	County Inholdings Grand Teton National Park"
14	dated March 2001, and numbered GTNP/0001.
15	SEC. 3. ACQUISITION OF STATE LANDS.
16	(a) The Secretary is authorized to acquire approxi-
17	mately 1,406 acres of State lands within the exterior
18	boundaries of Grand Teton National Park, as generally
19	depicted on the map referenced in section 2(4), by any
20	one or a combination of the following—
21	(1) donation;
22	(2) purchase with donated or appropriated
23	funds; or
24	(3) exchange of Federal lands in the State of
25	Wyoming that are identified for disposal under ap-

- 1 proved land use plans in effect on the date of enact-
- 2 ment of this Act under section 202 of the Federal
- 3 Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43)
- 4 U.S.C. 1712) that are of equal value to the State
- 5 lands acquired in the exchange.
- 6 (b) In the event that the Secretary or the Governor
- 7 determines that the Federal lands eligible for exchange
- 8 under subsection (a)(3) are not sufficient or acceptable for
- 9 the acquisition of all the State lands identified in section
- 10 2(4), the Secretary shall identify other Federal lands or
- 11 interests therein in the State of Wyoming for possible ex-
- 12 change and shall identify such lands or interests together
- 13 with their estimated value in a report to the Committee
- 14 on Energy and Natural Resources of the United States
- 15 Senate and the Committee on Resources of the House of
- 16 Representatives. Such lands or interests shall not be avail-
- 17 able for exchange unless authorized by an Act of Congress
- 18 enacted after the date of submission of the report.

19 SEC. 4. VALUATION OF STATE AND FEDERAL INTERESTS.

- 20 (a) AGREEMENT ON APPRAISER.—If the Secretary
- 21 and the Governor are unable to agree on the value of any
- 22 Federal lands eligible for exchange under section 3(a)(3)
- 23 or State lands, then the Secretary and the Governor may
- 24 select a qualified appraiser to conduct an appraisal of
- 25 those lands. The purchase or exchange under section 3(a)

- 1 shall be conducted based on the values determined by the
- 2 appraisal.
- 3 (b) No Agreement on Appraiser.—If the Sec-
- 4 retary and the Governor are unable to agree on the selec-
- 5 tion of a qualified appraiser under subsection (a), then
- 6 the Secretary and the Governor shall each designate a
- 7 qualified appraiser. The two designated appraisers shall
- 8 select a qualified third appraiser to conduct the appraisal
- 9 with the advice and assistance of the two designated ap-
- 10 praisers. The purchase or exchange under section 3(a)
- 11 shall be conducted based on the values determined by the
- 12 appraisal.
- 13 (c) Appraisal Costs.—The Secretary and the State
- 14 of Wyoming shall each pay one-half of the appraisal costs
- 15 under subsections (a) and (b).
- 16 SEC. 5. ADMINISTRATION OF STATE LANDS ACQUIRED BY
- 17 THE UNITED STATES.
- 18 The State lands conveyed to the United States under
- 19 section 3(a) shall become part of Grand Teton National
- 20 Park. The Secretary shall manage such lands under the
- 21 Act of August 25, 1916 (commonly known as the "Na-
- 22 tional Park Service Organic Act") and other laws, rules,
- 23 and regulations applicable to Grand Teton National Park.

1 SEC. 6. AUTHORIZATION FOR APPROPRIATIONS.

- 2 There are authorized to be appropriated such sums
- 3 as may be necessary for the purposes of this Act.

Passed the Senate October 17, 2001.

Attest: JERI THOMSON,

Secretary.

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