S. 2958

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 8, 2004

Mr. Smith (for himself and Mr. Wyden) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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. LITTLE BUTTE/BEAR CREEK SUBBASINS, OR-
 - 4 EGON, WATER RESOURCE STUDY.
- 5 (a) SHORT TITLE.—This section may be cited as the
- 6 "Little Butte/Bear Creek Subbasins Water Feasibility
- 7 Act".

- 1 (b) AUTHORIZATION.—The Secretary of the Interior,
- 2 acting through the Bureau of Reclamation, may conduct
- 3 the Water for Irrigation, Streams and the Economy
- 4 Project water management feasibility study and environ-
- 5 mental impact statement in accordance with the "Memo-
- 6 randum of Agreement Between City of Medford and Bu-
- 7 reau of Reclamation for the Water for Irrigation, Streams,
- 8 and the Economy Project", dated July 2, 2004.
- 9 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
- 10 authorized to be appropriated \$500,000 to carry out this
- 11 section.

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