S. 1154

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

November 17, 2005 Referred to the Committee on Resources

AN ACT

To extend the Acadia National Park Advisory Commission, to provide improved visitor services at the 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 "Acadia National Park
- 5 Improvement Act of 2005".

1 SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF ACADIA NATIONAL PARK ADVISORY

- 2 **COMMISSION.**
- 3 Section 103(f) of Public Law 99–420 (16 U.S.C. 341
- 4 note) is amended by striking "20" and inserting "40".
- 5 SEC. 3. INCREASE IN LAND ACQUISITION CEILING.
- 6 Section 106(a) of Public Law 99–420 (16 U.S.C. 341
- 7 note) is amended by striking "\$9,100,000" and inserting
- 8 "\$28,000,000".
- 9 SEC. 4. INTERMODAL TRANSPORTATION CENTER.
- 10 Title I of Public Law 99–420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note)
- 11 is amended by adding at the end the following new section:
- 12 "SEC. 108. INTERMODAL TRANSPORTATION CENTER.
- "(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may provide as-
- 14 sistance in the planning, construction, and operation of
- 15 an intermodal transportation center located outside of the
- 16 boundary of the Park in the town of Trenton, Maine to
- 17 improve the management, interpretation, and visitor en-
- 18 joyment of the Park.
- 19 "(b) AGREEMENTS.—To carry out subsection (a), in
- 20 administering the intermodal transportation center, the
- 21 Secretary may enter into interagency agreements with
- 22 other Federal agencies, and cooperative agreements, under
- 23 appropriate terms and conditions, with State and local
- 24 agencies, and nonprofit organizations—

1	"(1) to provide exhibits, interpretive services
2	(including employing individuals to provide such
3	services), and technical assistance;
4	"(2) to conduct activities that facilitate the dis-
5	semination of information relating to the Park and
6	the Island Explorer transit system or any successor
7	transit system;
8	"(3) to provide financial assistance for the con-
9	struction of the intermodal transportation center in
10	exchange for space in the center that is sufficient to
11	interpret the Park; and
12	"(4) to assist with the operation and mainte-
13	nance of the intermodal transportation center.
14	"(c) Authorization of Appropriations.—
15	"(1) In general.—There are authorized to be
16	appropriated to the Secretary such sums as are nec-
17	essary to carry out this section (including planning,
18	design and construction of the intermodal transpor-
19	tation center).
20	"(2) Operations and maintenance.—There
21	are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are
22	necessary to maintain and operate the intermodal
23	transportation center.".
	Passed the Senate November 16, 2005.
	Attest: EMILY J. REYNOLDS,
	Secretary.