

111TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 5665

To prohibit the withdrawal of certain public lands and National Forest System lands in Arizona from location and entry under the Mining Law of 1872, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 1, 2010

Mr. FRANKS of Arizona (for himself, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. LATTA, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. AKIN, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. POSEY, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. SCHOCK, Mr. FLAKE, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mrs. McMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. CHAFFETZ, and Mr. SIMPSON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. PROHIBITION ON WITHDRAWAL OF CERTAIN**  
2 **PUBLIC LANDS AND NATIONAL FOREST SYS-**  
3 **TEM LANDS IN ARIZONA.**

4       The Secretary of the Interior may not withdraw pub-  
5 lic lands or National Forest System lands from location  
6 and entry under the Mining Law of 1872 (30 U.S.C. 22  
7 et seq.) pursuant to the notice published by the Secretary  
8 on July 21, 2009 (74 Fed. Reg. 35887). The lands de-  
9 scribed in that notice shall not be segregated from location  
10 and entry under the 1872 Mining Law as described in  
11 such notice, and such notice shall have no other force or  
12 effect.

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