

113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2748

To amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to conform citizen suits under that Act with other existing law, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 31, 2014

Mr. LEE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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 “Endangered Species
5 Litigation Reasonableness Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. AWARD OF LITIGATION COSTS TO PREVAILING PAR-**
7 **TIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH EXISTING LAW.**

8 Section 11(g)(4) of the Endangered Species Act of
9 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1540(g)(4)) is amended by striking “to
10 any” and all that follows through the end of the sentence

1 and inserting “to any prevailing party in accordance with
2 section 2412 of title 28, United States Code.”.

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