114TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H.R. 1324

AN ACT

To adjust the boundary of the Arapaho National Forest, Colorado, 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,

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

- 2 This Act may be cited as the "Arapaho National For-
- 3 est Boundary Adjustment Act of 2015".
- 4 SEC. 2. ARAPAHO NATIONAL FOREST BOUNDARY ADJUST-
- 5 MENT.
- 6 (a) IN GENERAL.—The boundary of the Arapaho Na-
- 7 tional Forest in the State of Colorado is adjusted to incor-
- 8 porate the approximately 92.95 acres of land generally de-
- 9 picted as "The Wedge" on the map entitled "Arapaho Na-
- 10 tional Forest Boundary Adjustment" and dated November
- 11 6, 2013, and described as lots three, four, eight, and nine
- 12 of section 13, Township 4 North, Range 76 West, Sixth
- 13 Principal Meridian, Colorado. A lot described in this sub-
- 14 section may be included in the boundary adjustment only
- 15 after the Secretary of Agriculture obtains written permis-
- 16 sion for such action from the lot owner or owners.
- 17 (b) Bowen Gulch Protection Area.—The Sec-
- 18 retary of Agriculture shall include all Federal land within
- 19 the boundary described in subsection (a) in the Bowen
- 20 Gulch Protection Area established under section 6 of the
- 21 Colorado Wilderness Act of 1993 (16 U.S.C. 539j).
- (c) Land and Water Conservation Fund.—For
- 23 purposes of section 200306(a)(2)(B)(i) of title 54, United
- 24 States Code, the boundaries of the Arapaho National For-
- 25 est, as modified under subsection (a), shall be considered

- 1 to be the boundaries of the Arapaho National Forest as
- 2 in existence on January 1, 1965.
- 3 (d) Public Motorized Use.—Nothing in this Act
- 4 opens privately owned lands within the boundary described
- 5 in subsection (a) to public motorized use.
- 6 (e) Access to Non-Federal Lands.—Notwith-
- 7 standing the provisions of section 6(f) of the Colorado Wil-
- 8 derness Act of 1993 (16 U.S.C. 539j(f)) regarding motor-
- 9 ized travel, the owners of any non-Federal lands within
- 10 the boundary described in subsection (a) who historically
- 11 have accessed their lands through lands now or hereafter
- 12 owned by the United States within the boundary described
- 13 in subsection (a) shall have the continued right of motor-
- 14 ized access to their lands across the existing roadway.

Passed the House of Representatives April 28, 2015. Attest:

Clerk.

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