

115TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 5022

To amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to authorize funding for the voluntary public access and habitat incentive program.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 14, 2018

Mr. MARSHALL (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. BUSTOS, and Mrs. DINGELL) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

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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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Voluntary Public Ac-  
5 cess Improvement Act of 2018”.

6 **SEC. 2. VOLUNTARY PUBLIC ACCESS AND HABITAT INCEN-**  
7 **TIVE PROGRAM.**

8 Section 1240R(f)(1) of the Food Security Act of  
9 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3839bb–5(f)(1)) is amended—

1           (1) by striking “practicable, \$50,000,000” and  
2           inserting the following: “practicable—

3                   “(A) \$50,000,000”;

4           (2) in subparagraph (A) (as so designated), by  
5           striking “2012 and \$40,000,000” and inserting the  
6           following: “2012;

7                   “(B) \$40,000,000”; and

8           (3) in subparagraph (B) (as so designated), by  
9           striking the period at the end and inserting the fol-  
10          lowing: “; and

11                   “(C) \$150,000,000 for the period of fiscal  
12          years 2019 through 2023.”.

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