

116TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1373

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 31, 2019

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural
Resources

AN ACT

To protect, for current and future generations, the watershed, ecosystem, and cultural heritage of the Grand Canyon region in the State of Arizona, 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 “Grand Canyon Centen-
3 nial Protection Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. WITHDRAWAL OF CERTAIN FEDERAL LAND IN THE**
5 **STATE OF ARIZONA.**

6 (a) **DEFINITION OF MAP.**—In this Act, the term
7 “Map” means the map prepared by the Bureau of Land
8 Management entitled “Grand Canyon Centennial Protec-
9 tion Act” and dated July 11, 2019.

10 (b) **WITHDRAWAL.**—Subject to valid existing rights,
11 the approximately 1,006,545 acres of Federal land in the
12 State of Arizona, generally depicted on the Map as “Fed-
13 eral Mineral Estate to be Withdrawn”, including any land
14 or interest in land that is acquired by the United States
15 after the date of the enactment of this Act, are hereby
16 withdrawn from—

17 (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-
18 posal under the public land laws;

19 (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining
20 laws; and

21 (3) operation of the mineral leasing, mineral
22 materials, and geothermal leasing laws.

23 (c) **AVAILABILITY OF MAP.**—The Map shall be kept
24 on file and made available for public inspection in the ap-

- 1 appropriate offices of the Forest Service and the Bureau of
- 2 Land Management.

Passed the House of Representatives October 30,
2019.

Attest: CHERYL L. JOHNSON,
Clerk.