

116TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5580

To codify certain rules issued by the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Commerce relating to endangered species and threatened species, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 10, 2020

Mr. GOSAR (for himself, Mr. McCLINTOCK, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. GIANFORTE, and Mr. NEWHOUSE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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 “Bring ESA Into the
5 21st Century Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. CODIFICATION OF REGULATIONS RELATING TO EN-**
2 **DANGERED SPECIES AND THREATENED SPE-**
3 **CIES INTERAGENCY COOPERATION.**

4 The amendments to part 402 of title 50, Code of Fed-
5 eral Regulations, made by the final rule promulgated by
6 the Secretary of the Interior entitled “Endangered
7 Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Regulations for Inter-
8 agency Cooperation” and published August 27, 2019 (84
9 Fed. Reg. 44976), shall have the force and effect of law.

10 **SEC. 3. CODIFICATION OF REGULATIONS RELATING TO EN-**
11 **DANGERED SPECIES AND THREATENED SPE-**
12 **CIES LISTING AND CRITICAL HABITAT DES-**
13 **IGNATION.**

14 The amendments to part 424 of title 50, Code of Fed-
15 eral Regulations, made by the final rule promulgated by
16 the Secretary of the Interior entitled “Endangered
17 Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Regulations for Listing
18 Species and Designating Critical Habitat” and published
19 August 27, 2019 (84 Fed. Reg. 45020), shall have the
20 force and effect of law.

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