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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. AMODEI (for himself and Mr. HARDY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

APRIL 12, 2016

Additional sponsor: Mr. HECK of Nevada

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on June 11, 2015]

# **A BILL**

To require the Secretary of the Interior to take land into trust for certain Indian tribes, 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 *This Act may be cited as the “Nevada Native Nations*  
5 *Land Act”.*

6 **SEC. 2. DEFINITION OF SECRETARY.**

7 *In this Act, the term “Secretary” means the Secretary*  
8 *of the Interior.*

9 **SEC. 3. CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR**  
10 **CERTAIN INDIAN TRIBES.**

11 *(a) CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR*  
12 *THE FORT MCDERMITT PAIUTE AND SHOSHONE TRIBE.—*

13 *(1) DEFINITION OF MAP.—In this subsection, the*  
14 *term “map” means the map entitled “Fort*  
15 *McDermitt Indian Reservation Expansion Act”,*  
16 *dated February 21, 2013, and on file and available*  
17 *for public inspection in the appropriate offices of the*  
18 *Bureau of Land Management.*

19 *(2) CONVEYANCE OF LAND.—Subject to valid ex-*  
20 *isting rights, all right, title, and interest of the*  
21 *United States in and to the land described in para-*  
22 *graph (3)—*

23 *(A) is held in trust by the United States for*  
24 *the benefit of the Fort McDermitt Paiute and*  
25 *Shoshone Tribe; and*

1           *(B) shall be part of the reservation of the*  
2           *Fort McDermitt Paiute and Shoshone Tribe.*

3           (3) *DESCRIPTION OF LAND.*—*The land referred*  
4           *to in paragraph (2) is the approximately 19,094*  
5           *acres of land administered by the Bureau of Land*  
6           *Management as generally depicted on the map as*  
7           *“Reservation Expansion Lands”.*

8           (b) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR*  
9           *THE SHOSHONE PAIUTE TRIBES.*—

10           (1) *DEFINITION OF MAP.*—*In this subsection, the*  
11           *term “map” means the map entitled “Mountain City*  
12           *Administrative Site Proposed Acquisition”, dated*  
13           *July 29, 2013, and on file and available for public*  
14           *inspection in the appropriate offices of the Forest*  
15           *Service.*

16           (2) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND.*—*Subject to valid ex-*  
17           *isting rights and paragraph (4), all right, title, and*  
18           *interest of the United States in and to the land de-*  
19           *scribed in paragraph (3)—*

20                   *(A) is held in trust by the United States for*  
21                   *the benefit of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes of the*  
22                   *Duck Valley Indian Reservation; and*

23                   *(B) shall be part of the reservation of the*  
24                   *Shoshone Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley In-*  
25                   *dian Reservation.*

1           (3) *DESCRIPTION OF LAND.*—*The land referred*  
2 *to in paragraph (2) is the approximately 82 acres of*  
3 *land administered by the Forest Service as generally*  
4 *depicted on the map as “Proposed Acquisition Site”.*

5           (4) *CONDITION ON CONVEYANCE.*—*The convey-*  
6 *ance under paragraph (2) shall be subject to the res-*  
7 *ervation of an easement on the conveyed land for a*  
8 *road to provide access to adjacent National Forest*  
9 *System land for use by the Forest Service for admin-*  
10 *istrative purposes.*

11           (5) *FACILITIES AND IMPROVEMENTS.*—*The Sec-*  
12 *retary of Agriculture (acting through the Chief of the*  
13 *Forest Service) shall convey to the Shoshone Paiute*  
14 *Tribes of the Duck Valley Indian Reservation any ex-*  
15 *isting facilities or improvements to the land described*  
16 *in paragraph (3).*

17           (c) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR*  
18 *THE SUMMIT LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE.*—

19           (1) *DEFINITION OF MAP.*—*In this section, the*  
20 *term “map” means the map entitled “Summit Lake*  
21 *Indian Reservation Conveyance”, dated February 28,*  
22 *2013, and on file and available for public inspection*  
23 *in the appropriate offices of the Bureau of Land*  
24 *Management.*

1           (2) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND.*—Subject to valid ex-  
2           isting rights, all right, title, and interest of the  
3           United States in and to the land described in para-  
4           graph (3)—

5                   (A) is held in trust by the United States for  
6           the benefit of the Summit Lake Paiute Tribe;  
7           and

8                   (B) shall be part of the reservation of the  
9           Summit Lake Paiute Tribe.

10          (3) *DESCRIPTION OF LAND.*—The land referred  
11          to in paragraph (2) is the approximately 941 acres  
12          of land administered by the Bureau of Land Manage-  
13          ment as generally depicted on the map as “Reserva-  
14          tion Conveyance Lands”.

15          (d) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR*  
16 *THE RENO-SPARKS INDIAN COLONY.*—

17               (1) *DEFINITION OF MAP.*—In this subsection, the  
18               term “map” means the map entitled “Reno-Sparks  
19               Indian Colony Expansion”, dated June 11, 2014, and  
20               on file and available for public inspection in the ap-  
21               propriate offices of the Bureau of Land Management.

22               (2) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND.*—Subject to valid ex-  
23               isting rights, all right, title, and interest of the  
24               United States in and to the land described in para-  
25               graph (3)—

1           (A) is held in trust by the United States for  
2           the benefit of the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony;  
3           and

4           (B) shall be part of the reservation of the  
5           Reno-Sparks Indian Colony.

6           (3) *DESCRIPTION OF LAND.*—The land referred  
7           to in paragraph (2) is the approximately 13,434  
8           acres of land administered by the Bureau of Land  
9           Management as generally depicted on the map as  
10          “RSIC Amended Boundary”.

11          (e) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR*  
12          *THE PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE.*—

13           (1) *MAP.*—In this subsection, the term “map”  
14           means the map entitled “Pyramid Lake Indian Res-  
15           ervation Expansion”, dated April 13, 2015, and on  
16           file and available for public inspection in the appro-  
17           priate offices of the Bureau of Land Management.

18           (2) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND.*—Subject to valid ex-  
19           isting rights, all right, title, and interest of the  
20           United States in and to the land described in para-  
21           graph (3)—

22           (A) is held in trust by the United States for  
23           the benefit of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe;  
24           and

1                   (B) shall be part of the reservation of the  
2                   Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe.

3                   (3) *DESCRIPTION OF LAND.*—The land referred  
4                   to in paragraph (2) is the approximately 6,357 acres  
5                   of land administered by the Bureau of Land Manage-  
6                   ment as generally depicted on the map as “Reserva-  
7                   tion Expansion Lands”.

8                   (f) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO BE HELD IN TRUST FOR*  
9                   *THE DUCKWATER SHOSHONE TRIBE.*—

10                  (1) *MAP.*—In this subsection, the term “map”  
11                  means the map entitled “Duckwater Reservation Ex-  
12                  pansion”, dated October 15, 2015, and on file and  
13                  available for public inspection in the appropriate of-  
14                  fices of the Bureau of Land Management.

15                  (2) *CONVEYANCE OF LAND.*—Subject to valid ex-  
16                  isting rights, all right, title, and interest of the  
17                  United States in and to the land described in para-  
18                  graph (3)—

19                         (A) is held in trust by the United States for  
20                         the benefit of the Duckwater Shoshone Tribe; and

21                         (B) shall be part of the reservation of the  
22                         Duckwater Shoshone Tribe.

23                  (3) *DESCRIPTION OF LAND.*—The land referred  
24                  to in paragraph (2) is the approximately 31,229  
25                  acres of land administered by the Bureau of Land



1        *Management as generally depicted on the map as*  
2        *“Reservation Expansion Lands”.*

3        *(g) REVOCATION OF PUBLIC LAND ORDERS.—Any*  
4        *public land order that withdraws any portion of land con-*  
5        *veyed to an Indian tribe under this section shall be revoked*  
6        *to the extent necessary to permit the conveyance of the land.*

7        **SEC. 4. ADMINISTRATION.**

8        *(a) SURVEY.—Not later than 180 days after the date*  
9        *of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall complete a sur-*  
10       *vey of the boundary lines to establish the boundaries of the*  
11       *land taken into trust for each Indian tribe under section*  
12       *3.*

13       *(b) USE OF TRUST LAND.—*

14                *(1) GAMING.—Land taken into trust under sec-*  
15        *tion 3 shall not be eligible, or considered to have been*  
16        *taken into trust, for class II gaming or class III gam-*  
17        *ing (as those terms are defined in section 4 of the In-*  
18        *dian Gaming Regulatory Act (25 U.S.C. 2703)).*

19                *(2) THINNING; LANDSCAPE RESTORATION.—With*  
20        *respect to the land taken into trust under section 3,*  
21        *the Secretary, in consultation and coordination with*  
22        *the applicable Indian tribe, may carry out any fuel*  
23        *reduction and other landscape restoration activities,*  
24        *including restoration of sage grouse habitat, on the*

1 *land that is beneficial to the Indian tribe and the Bu-*  
2 *reau of Land Management.*



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