

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 4402**

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Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “Guam Military Train-
3 ing and Readiness Act of 2014”.

**4 SEC. 2. ESTABLISHMENT OF SURFACE DANGER ZONE,
5 RITIDIAN UNIT, GUAM NATIONAL WILDLIFE
6 REFUGE.**

7 (a) AGREEMENT TO ESTABLISH.—In order to accom-
8 modate the operation of a live-fire training range complex
9 on Andersen Air Force Base-Northwest Field and the
10 management of the adjacent Ritidian Unit of the Guam
11 National Wildlife Refuge, the Secretary of the Navy and
12 the Secretary of the Interior, notwithstanding the Na-
13 tional Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966
14 (16 U.S.C. 668dd et seq.), may enter into an agreement
15 providing for the establishment and operation of a surface
16 danger zone which overlays the Ritidian Unit or such por-
17 tion thereof as the Secretaries consider necessary.

1 (b) ELEMENTS OF AGREEMENT.—The agreement to
2 establish a surface danger zone over all or a portion of
3 the Ritidian Unit of the Guam National Wildlife Refuge
4 shall include—

5 (1) measures to maintain the purposes of the
6 Refuge; and

7 (2) as appropriate, measures, funded by the
8 Secretary of the Navy from funds appropriated after
9 the date of enactment of this Act and otherwise
10 available to the Secretary, for the following pur-
11 poses:

12 (A) Relocation and reconstruction of struc-
13 tures and facilities of the Refuge in existence as
14 of the date of the enactment of this Act.

15 (B) Mitigation of impacts to wildlife spe-
16 cies present on the Refuge or to be reintroduced
17 in the future in accordance with applicable
18 laws.

19 (C) Use of Department of Defense per-
20 sonnel to undertake conservation activities with-
21 in the Ritidian Unit normally performed by De-
22 partment of the Interior personnel, including
23 habitat maintenance, maintaining the boundary
24 fence, and conducting the brown tree snake
25 eradication program.

- 1 (D) Openings and closures of the surface
- 2 danger zone to the public as may be necessary.

