

115TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5005

To direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing the birthplace of James Weldon Johnson in Jacksonville, Florida, as a unit of the National Park System.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 2018

Mr. LAWSON of Florida (for himself, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. HASTINGS, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Mr. POSEY, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mrs. MURPHY of Florida, Mr. RUTHERFORD, Ms. FRANKEL of Florida, Mr. CURBELO of Florida, Mr. WEBSTER of Florida, Mr. CRIST, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. COSTA, Mr. SOTO, and Mr. PAYNE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

To direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing the birthplace of James Weldon Johnson in Jacksonville, Florida, as a unit of the National Park System.

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. SPECIAL RESOURCE STUDY OF JAMES WELDON**
2 **JOHNSON BIRTHPLACE.**

3 (a) **STUDY.**—The Secretary of the Interior shall con-
4 duct a special resource study to determine the suitability
5 and feasibility of establishing the birthplace of James
6 Weldon Johnson located at Adams & Lee Street in Jack-
7 sonville, Florida, as a unit of the National Park System.

8 (b) **STUDY REQUIREMENTS.**—The Secretary shall
9 conduct the study in accordance with section 100507 of
10 title 54, United States Code.

11 (c) **REPORT.**—Not later than 3 years after the date
12 on which funds are made available to carry out this Act,
13 the Secretary shall submit to the Committee on Natural
14 Resources of the House of Representatives and the Com-
15 mittee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate
16 a report that describes—

17 (1) the results of the study; and

18 (2) any recommendations of the Secretary.

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