

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 6300

To amend the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to ensure that ranchers who have grazing agreements on national grasslands are treated the same as permittees on other Federal land.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 25, 2025

Ms. HAGEMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 “Grasslands Grazing
5 Act of 2025”.

1 **SEC. 2. ELIGIBILITY OF NATIONAL GRASSLANDS FOR GRAZ-**
2 **ING LEASES AND PERMITS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 402(a) of the Federal
4 Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C.
5 1752(a)) is amended by striking “lands within National
6 Forests” and inserting “National Forest System (as de-
7 fined in section 11(a) of the Forest and Rangeland Renew-
8 able Resources Planning Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C.
9 1609(a))) land”.

10 (b) EFFECT.—Nothing in the amendment made by
11 subsection (a) modifies or affects—

12 (1) the applicability to national grasslands of
13 any provision of the Federal Land Policy and Man-
14 agement Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.) other
15 than section 402 of that Act (43 U.S.C. 1752);

16 (2) title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Ten-
17 ant Act (7 U.S.C. 1010 et seq.); or

18 (3) section 11 of the Public Rangelands Im-
19 provement Act of 1978 (43 U.S.C. 1907).

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