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A BILL

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Eastern Nevada Land Implementation Improvement Act”.

SEC. 2. FACILITATION OF PINYON-JUNIPER RELATED PROJECTS IN LINCOLN COUNTY, NEVADA.

(a) FACILITATION OF PINYON-JUNIPER RELATED PROJECTS.—

(1) AVAILABILITY OF SPECIAL ACCOUNT UNDER LINCOLN COUNTY LAND ACT OF 2000.—Section 5(b) of the Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–298; 114 Stat. 1048) is amended—

(A) in paragraph (1)—

(i) in subparagraph (B), by inserting “and implementation” after “development”; and

(ii) in subparagraph (C)—

(I) in clause (i), by striking “; and” at the end and inserting a semi-colon; and

(II) by adding at the end the following:

“(iii) development and implementation of comprehensive, cost-effective, and multi-jurisdictional hazardous fuels reduction projects and wildfire prevention planning (particularly for pinyon-juniper dominated landscapes) and other rangeland and woodland restoration projects within the County, consistent with the Ely Resource Man-
agement Plan and subject to approval by the Secretary; and’’; and
(B) by adding at the end the following:

“(3) WAIVER OF FEES.—Processing of applications for rights-of-way submitted by local or regional governments within the County necessary to deliver government-provided services to land conveyed pursuant to this Act shall not require payment of cost-recovery fees or payment of contributed funds.

“(4) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—Establishment of cooperative agreements between the Bureau of Land Management and the County shall be required for County-provided law enforcement and planning related activities regarding—

“(A) wilderness in the County designated by the Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–424; 118 Stat. 2403);

“(B) cultural resources identified, protected, and managed pursuant to that Act;

“(C) planning, management, and law enforcement associated with the Silver State OHV Trail designated by that Act; and

“(D) planning associated with land disposal and related land use authorizations re-
quired for utility corridors and rights-of-way to
serve land that has been, or is to be, disposed
of pursuant to that Act and this Act.”.

(2) Availability of special account under
Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation,
and Development Act of 2004.—Section 103 of
the Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and
Development Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–424;
118 Stat. 2406) is amended—

(A) in subsection (b)(3)—

(i) in subparagraph (E), by striking “; and” at the end and inserting a semicolon;

(ii) in subparagraph (F), by striking the period at the end and inserting “; and”;

(iii) by adding at the end the following:

“(G) development and implementation of comprehensive, cost-effective, and multijuris-
dictionary hazardous fuels reduction and wildfire prevention planning (particularly for pinyon-juniper dominated landscapes) and other range-
land and woodland restoration projects within the County, consistent with the Ely Resource
Management Plan and subject to approval by
the Secretary.”; and

(B) by adding at the end the following:

“(d) WAIVER OF FEES.—Processing of applications
for rights-of-way submitted by local or regional govern-
ments within the County necessary to deliver government-
provided services to land conveyed pursuant to this Act
shall not require payment of cost-recovery fees or payment
of contributed funds.

“(e) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—Establishment of
cooperative agreements between the Bureau of Land Man-
agement and the County shall be required for County-pro-
vided law enforcement and planning related activities re-
garding—

“(1) wilderness in the County designated by
this Act;

“(2) cultural resources identified, protected,
and managed pursuant to this Act;

“(3) planning, management, and law enforce-
ment associated with the Silver State OHV Trail
designated by this Act; and

“(4) planning associated with land disposal and
related land use authorizations required for utility
corridors and rights-of-way to serve land that has
been, or is to be, disposed of pursuant to this Act
and the Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–298; 114 Stat. 1046)."

(b) Disposition of Proceeds.—

(1) Disposition of Proceeds Under Lincoln County Land Act of 2000.—Section 5(a)(2) of the Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–298; 114 Stat. 1047) is amended by inserting “and the Lincoln County Regional Development Authority” after “schools”.

(2) Disposition of Proceeds Under Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2004.—Section 103(b)(2) of the Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–424; 118 Stat. 2405) is amended by striking “and transportation” and inserting “transportation, and the Lincoln County Regional Development Authority”.

(c) Certain Land in Utility Corridor Not Withdrawn.—Section 301(c) of the Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–424; 118 Stat. 2413) is amended in the matter preceding paragraph (1) by inserting “(other than land in the corridor located in sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, and 15, T. 7 N., R. 68 E.)” after “subsection (a)”.
SEC. 3. MT. MORIAH WILDERNESS, HIGH SCHELLS WILDERNESS, AND ARC DOME WILDERNESS BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS.

(a) Amendments to the Pam White Wilderness Act.—Section 323 of the Pam White Wilderness Act of 2006 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; Public Law 109–432; 120 Stat. 3031) is amended by striking subsection (e) and inserting the following:

“(e) Mt. Moriah Wilderness Adjustment.—The boundary of the Mt. Moriah Wilderness established under section 2(13) of the Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1989 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; Public Law 101–195) is adjusted to include—

“(1) the land identified as the ‘Mount Moriah Wilderness Area’ and ‘Mount Moriah Additions’ on the map entitled ‘Eastern White Pine County’ and dated November 29, 2006; and

“(2) the land identified as ‘NFS Lands’ on the map entitled ‘Proposed Wilderness Boundary Adjustment Mt. Moriah Wilderness Area’ and dated June 18, 2014.

“(f) High Schells Wilderness Adjustment.—The boundary of the High Schells Wilderness established under subsection (a)(11) is adjusted to include the land identified as ‘Include as Wilderness’ on the map entitled ‘McCoy Creek Adjustment’ and dated November 3, 2014,
and to exclude the land identified as ‘NFS Lands’ on the
map entitled ‘Proposed Wilderness Boundary Adjustment
High Schells Wilderness Area’ and dated June 17, 2014.’’.

(b) Amendments to the Nevada Wilderness
Protection Act of 1989.—The Nevada Wilderness
Protection Act of 1989 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; Public Law
101–195; 103 Stat. 1784) is amended by adding at the
end the following:

“SEC. 12. ARC DOME BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT.

“The boundary of the Arc Dome Wilderness estab-
lished under section 2(2) is adjusted to exclude the land
identified as ‘Exclude from Wilderness’ on the map enti-
tled ‘Arc Dome Adjustment’ and dated November 3,
2014.’’.

SEC. 4. IMPLEMENTATION OF CONSERVATION PLAN, VIR-
GIN RIVER, NEVADA.

Section 3(d)(3)(B) of Public Law 99–548 (100 Stat.
3061; 116 Stat. 2018) is amended by striking “development of a multispecies habitat conservation plan for” and
inserting “development and implementation of a conserva-
tion plan to benefit fish and wildlife species of”.

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