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HR 854

To provide for certain lands to be held in trust for the Utu Utu Gwaitu Paiute Tribe.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Native Americans Introduced: Feb 16, 2005

Current Status: Became Public Law No: 109-421.

Latest Action: Became Public Law No: 109-421. (Dec 20, 2006)

Law: 109-421 (Enacted Dec 20, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. McKeon, Howard P. "Buck" [R-CA-25]
Party: Republican • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Indian Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 20, 2006
Natural Resources Committee	House	Reported By	Jul 13, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 20, 2006)

(This measure has not been amended since it was reported to the House on July 13, 2006. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Provides that subject to valid existing rights, all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to described lands are hereby declared to be held in trust by the United States for the benefit of the Utu Utu Gwaitu Paiute Tribe, Benton Paiute Reservation.

Declares such lands ineligible for class II or class III gaming.

Actions Timeline

- Dec 20, 2006: Signed by President.
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- Dec 20, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-421.
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- Dec 11, 2006: Presented to President.
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- Dec 6, 2006: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR 12/7/2006 S11381)
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- Dec 6, 2006: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- Sep 20, 2006: Committee on Indian Affairs. Reported by Senator McCain without amendment. With written report No. 109-342.
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- Sep 20, 2006: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 622.
- Sep 14, 2006: Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- Jul 25, 2006: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.
- Jul 24, 2006: Mr. Walden (OR) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- Jul 24, 2006: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5581-5582)
- Jul 24, 2006: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 854.
- Jul 24, 2006: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5581-5582)
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- Jul 24, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Jul 13, 2006: Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Resources. H. Rept. 109-557.
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- Jul 13, 2006: Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 313.
- Jun 21, 2006: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- Jun 21, 2006: Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- Feb 16, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Feb 16, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Resources.