

HR 2963

Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians Land Transfer Act of 2007

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Native Americans

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Law: 110-383 (Enacted Oct 10, 2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49]

Party: Republican • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Baca, Joe [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jul 12, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Indian Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	Sep 25, 2008
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged From	Jul 30, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Native Americans

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HR 28	Text similarities	Jan 4, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians Land Transfer Act of 2007 - Transfers certain lands in Riverside and San Diego Counties, California, from the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) to the United States to be held in trust for the Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians.

Prohibits such transfer from including the 12.82 acres of lands more or less, including the facilities, improvements, and appurtenances associated with the existing 230kV transmission line in San Diego County and its 300 foot corridor, which shall be sold by BLM for fair market value to the San Diego Gas & Electric Company not later than 30 days after the completion of the cadastral survey and appraisal described in this Act.

Requires: (1) conveyance of the utility corridor to the Gas & Electric Company; and (2) the Company to pay the costs of carrying out the conveyance of the utility corridor, including any associated survey and appraisal costs.

Allows the transferred lands to be used only as open space and for the protection, preservation, and maintenance of archeological, cultural, and wildlife resources. Bars the construction of any roads on such lands other than for maintenance purposes. Prohibits the development of infrastructure or buildings on the transferred land.

Prohibits the Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians from conducting gaming activities or activities conducted in conjunction with the operation of a casino: (1) as a matter of claimed inherent authority; or (2) under any federal law, including the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (including any regulations promulgated by the Secretary of the Interior or the National Indian Gaming Commission under such Act).

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 10, 2008:** Signed by President.
- **Oct 10, 2008:** Became Public Law No: 110-383.
- **Oct 3, 2008:** Presented to President.
- **Sep 29, 2008:** Mr. Rahall asked unanimous consent that the House agree to the Senate amendments. (consideration: CR H10609-10610; text as House agreed to Senate amendment: CR H10609-10610)
- **Sep 29, 2008:** Resolving differences -- House actions: On motion that the House agree to the Senate amendments Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 29, 2008:** On motion that the House agree to the Senate amendments Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 29, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 29, 2008:** Cleared for White House.
- **Sep 27, 2008:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Sep 26, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S9851-9852; text as passed Senate: CR S9851-9852)
- **Sep 26, 2008:** Passed Senate with amendments by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S9851-9852; text as passed Senate: CR S9851-9852)
- **Sep 25, 2008:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Reported by Senator Dorgan with amendments. With written report No. 110-503.
- **Sep 25, 2008:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 1081.
- **Sep 23, 2008:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **May 15, 2008:** Committee on Indian Affairs. Hearings held.
- **Aug 3, 2007:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.
- **Jul 31, 2007:** Received in the Senate.
- **Jul 30, 2007:** Committee on Natural Resources discharged.
- **Jul 30, 2007:** Considered by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR H8828-8829)
- **Jul 30, 2007:** Mrs. Christensen asked unanimous consent to discharge from committee and consider.
- **Jul 30, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed without objection.(text: CR H8828-8829)
- **Jul 30, 2007:** On passage Passed without objection. (text: CR H8828-8829)
- **Jul 30, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 10, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 10, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.