

HR 1275

Utah Recreational Land Exchange Act of 2009

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources

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Law: 111-53 (Enacted Aug 19, 2009)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Matheson, Jim [D-UT-2]

Party: Democratic • **State:** UT • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Chaffetz, Jason [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Mar 3, 2009

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Reported By	Aug 4, 2009
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Jun 10, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
111 S 563	Identical bill	Mar 10, 2009: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the House on July 8, 2009. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Utah Recreational Land Exchange Act of 2009 - Directs the Secretary of the Interior to convey specified federal land in Grand, San Juan, and Uintah Counties, Utah, to the state of Utah in exchange for specified non-federal land in such counties. Requires the conveyance to be in three phases.

Requires all costs of the land exchanges under this Act, including but not limited to, appraisals, surveys, and related costs, to be paid equally by the Secretary and the state.

Sets forth provisions regarding: (1) land valuation, appraisal, and equalization; and (2) land administration, including water rights, hazardous materials, oil shale resources, mineral leasing, and revenues.

Requires the conveyance of certain federal land to be subject to a 1,000 foot wide scenic easement and a 200 foot wide road of right-of-way previously granted to the National Park Service (NPS) for the Dinosaur National Monument.

Terminates this Act's provisions five years after their enactment.

Authorizes appropriations.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 19, 2009:** Signed by President.
- **Aug 19, 2009:** Became Public Law No: 111-53.
- **Aug 11, 2009:** Presented to President.
- **Aug 6, 2009:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Aug 5, 2009:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S8889)
- **Aug 5, 2009:** Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S8889)
- **Aug 5, 2009:** Cleared for White House.
- **Aug 4, 2009:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Aug 4, 2009:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Bingaman without amendment. With written report No. 111-67.
- **Aug 4, 2009:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 150.
- **Jul 9, 2009:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Jul 8, 2009:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H7756)
- **Jul 8, 2009:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by recorded vote (2/3 required): 423 - 0 (Roll no. 481).(text: CR 7/7/2009 H7710-7712)
- **Jul 8, 2009:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by recorded vote (2/3 required): 423 - 0 (Roll no. 481). (text: CR 7/7/2009 H7710-7712)
- **Jul 8, 2009:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 7, 2009:** Ms. Bordallo moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jul 7, 2009:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7710-7712)
- **Jul 7, 2009:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1275.
- **Jul 7, 2009:** At the conclusion of debate, the chair put the question on the motion to suspend the rules. Ms. Foxx objected to the vote on the grounds that a quorum was not present. Further proceedings on the motion were postponed. The point of no quorum was withdrawn.
- **Jun 23, 2009:** Reported (Amended) by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 111-179.
- **Jun 23, 2009:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 96.
- **Jun 10, 2009:** Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands Discharged.
- **Jun 10, 2009:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 10, 2009:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **Mar 24, 2009:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 6, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.
- **Mar 3, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 3, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.