HR 1237

To provide for a land exchange with the Trinity Public Utilities District of Trinity County, California, involving the transfer of land to the Bureau of Land Management and the Six Rivers National Forest in exchange for National Forest System land in the Shasta-Trinity National Forest, and for other purposes.

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Policy Area: Public Lands and Natural Resources
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Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 24, 2012
Natural Resources Committee	House	Discharged from	Apr 25, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Public Lands and Natural Resources

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 23, 2012)

Directs the Secretary of Agriculture (USDA), if the Trinity Public Utilities District of Trinity County, California, conveys to the Secretary of Agriculture the Van Duzen parcel within the Six Rivers National Forest and if the District conveys to the Secretary of the Interior the Sky Ranch parcel adjacent to public land administered by the Redding Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), to convey land in the Shasta-Trinity National Forest near the Weaverville Airport to the District.

Requires, regarding the value of the Van Duzen and Sky Ranch parcels, that: (1) if such value is less than that of the land conveyed to the Utilities District any cash equalization payments received by the Secretaries shall be deposited in the Treasury, and (2) if such value is greater, no cash equalization payment may be made to the District and the acreage of the land involved may be adjusted to equalize the value of the exchange.

Instructs that the exact acreage and legal description of the lands to be exchanged be determined by a survey satisfactory to the Secretary concerned. Makes the District responsible for the survey costs and reasonable administrative costs related to the exchange.

Requires the land acquired by the USDA Secretary to be added to and administered as part of the Six Rivers National Forest and the land acquired by the Secretary of the Interior to be administered as public land by the Redding Field Office.

Directs the USDA Secretary to complete the conveyance of the System land within one year of the date on which the District offers to make such conveyances.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 24, 2012:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Mr. Hastings (WA) moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5083-5085)
- **Jul 23, 2012:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 1237.
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5083-5084)
- **Jul 23, 2012:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H5083-5084)
- **Jul 23, 2012:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 30, 2012:** Reported by the Committee on Natural Resources. H. Rept. 112-500.
- **May 30, 2012:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 353.
- **Apr 25, 2012:** Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands Discharged.
- **Apr 25, 2012:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 25, 2012:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Dec 2, 2011:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 31, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands.
- **Mar 29, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 29, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources.

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