

100 H.R.403

Title: A bill to establish the El Malpais National Monument, the Masau Trail, and the Grants National Conservation Area in the State of New Mexico, and for other purposes.
Sponsor: Rep Richardson, Bill [NM-3] (introduced 1/6/1987) Cosponsors (2) Related Bills: H.R.401, S.56 Latest Major Action: 12/31/1987 Became Public Law No: 100-225.

SUMMARY AS OF:

12/17/1987--Passed Senate amended. (There are 4 other summaries)

(Measure passed Senate, amended)

Title I: El Malpais National Monument - Establishes the El Malpais National Monument, New Mexico. Directs the Secretary of the Interior, through the Director of the National Park Service, to administer such Monument. Permits the continuation of existing grazing privileges through 1997.

Title II: Masau Trail - Authorizes the Secretary to designate a vehicular tour route along existing public roads linking prehistoric and historic cultural sites in New Mexico and eastern Arizona, to be known as the Masau Trail. Permits the erection of informational devices.

Title III: El Malpais National Conservation Area - Establishes the El Malpais National Conservation Area, to be administered by the Secretary, acting through the Director of the Bureau of Land Management. Permits hunting and trapping except in designated zones. Prohibits the commercial collection of wood. Permits the grazing of livestock.

Title IV: Wilderness - Designates the Cebolla Wilderness and the West Malpais Wilderness located within the El Malpais National Monument and National Conservation Area as a component of the National Wilderness Preservation System. Permits the grazing of livestock as specified.

Title V: General Provisions - Directs the Secretary to develop and report within three years to the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources on separate general management plans for the Monument and the Conservation Area. Requires such plans to include interpretation and education programs, public facility proposals, and natural, cultural, and wildlife resources management. Requires such plans to evaluate specified lands for their suitability for preservation as wilderness.

Authorizes the Secretary to acquire lands within the Monument or Conservation Area by donation, exchange, purchase, or transfer. Requires the Secretary to notify the New Mexico Commissioner of Public Lands of State lands or interests within the Monument or Conservation Area and of the opportunity to exchange such lands for Federal public lands. Sets forth procedures for such exchange.

Authorizes the Secretary to exchange Federal mineral interests in specified lands for private mineral interests in other lands.

Directs the Secretary to exchange specified lands with the Pueblo of Acoma, upon their request, to acquire lands within the Conservation Area.

Withdraws all Federal lands within the Monument and Conservation Area from entry under the public land, mining, or mineral and geothermal leasing laws.

Redesignates the Capulin Mountain National Monument as the Capulin Volcano National Monument.

Requires that such Monument and Conservation Area be open to Indians for traditional cultural and religious purposes. Directs the Secretary to request that the Governor of the Pueblo of Acoma and other Indian tribal executives make recommendations on controlling access to protect the privacy of religious activities. Requires the Secretary to provide written notice of any closures to the appropriate congressional committees.

Authorizes the Secretary to establish an advisory committee.

Authorizes the Secretary to enter into cooperative agreements for the interpretation of the prehistoric and historic civilizations in New Mexico and eastern Arizona.

Reserves to the United States sufficient water to carry out the purpose of this Act.

Authorizes appropriations.

MAJOR ACTIONS:

1/6/1987

Introduced in House

6/1/1987

Reported to House (Amended) by House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

Report No: 100-116.

6/1/1987

Passed/agreed to in House: Passed House (Amended) by Voice Vote.

7/6/1987

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported to Senate by Senator Johnston under the authority of the order of Jul 1, 87 with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 100-100. Additional views filed.

12/17/1987

Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote.

12/18/1987

Resolving differences -- House actions: House Agreed to Senate Amendments by Voice Vote.

12/18/1987
Cleared for White House.
12/22/1987
Presented to President.
12/31/1987
Signed by President.
12/31/1987
Became Public Law No: 100-225.

ALL ACTIONS:

1/6/1987:
Referred to House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.
2/5/1987:
Referred to Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands.
4/28/1987:
Subcommittee Hearings Held.
5/12/1987:
Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
5/12/1987:
Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended).
3/20/1987:
Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
5/15/1987:
Executive Comment Received From Interior.
5/20/1987:
Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
5/20/1987:
Ordered to be Reported (Amended).
6/1/1987:
Reported to House (Amended) by House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.
Report No: 100-116.
6/1/1987:
Placed on Union Calendar No: 79.
6/1/1987:
Called up by House Under Suspension of Rules.
6/1/1987:
Passed House (Amended) by Voice Vote.
6/3/1987:
Received in the Senate and read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
6/25/1987:
Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported in lieu of S. 56 with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
7/6/1987:
Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported to Senate by Senator Johnston under the authority of the order of Jul 1, 87 with an

amendment in the nature of a substitute. With written report No. 100-100. Additional views filed.

7/6/1987:

Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 226.

12/17/1987:

S.AMDT.1363 Proposed by Senator Domenici. To provide that in recognition of the past use of portions of the El Malpais National Monument and the El Malpais National Conservation area by Indian people for traditional cultural and religious purposes, the Secretary shall assure nonexclusive access to the Monument and the Conservation area by the Indian people for traditional cultural and religious purposes, including the harvesting of pine nuts.

12/17/1987:

S.AMDT.1363 Amendment SP 1363 agreed to in Senate by Voice Vote.

12/17/1987:

Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent.

12/17/1987:

Passed Senate with an amendment by Voice Vote.

12/17/1987:

Message on Senate action sent to the House.

12/18/1987:

House Agreed to Senate Amendments by Voice Vote.

12/18/1987:

Cleared for White House.

12/21/1987:

Measure Signed in Senate.

12/22/1987:

Presented to President.

12/31/1987:

Signed by President.

12/31/1987:

Became Public Law No: 100-225.

TITLE(S):

- OFFICIAL TITLE AS INTRODUCED: A bill to establish the El Malpais National Monument, the Masau Trail, and the Grants National Conservation Area in the State of New Mexico, and for other purposes.

COSPONSORS(2), ALPHABETICAL [followed by Cosponsors withdrawn]:

Rep Lujan, Manuel, Jr. [NM-1] - 1/6/1987

Rep Marlenee, Ron [MT-2] - 5/13/1987

COMMITTEE(S):

Committee/Subcommittee:

House Interior and Insular Affairs

Subcommittee on National Parks

and Public Lands

Senate Energy and Natural Resources

Activity:

Referral, Markup, Reporting

Referral, Hearings, Markup, Reporting

Referral, Markup, Reporting

RELATED BILL DETAILS: (additional related bills may be identified in Status)

Bill:

H.R.401

S.56

S.56

Relationship:

Related bill identified by CRS

Identical bill identified by CRS

Companion bill

AMENDMENT(S):

1. S.AMDT.1363 to H.R.403 To provide that in recognition of the past use of portions of the El Malpais National Monument and the El Malpais National Conservation area by Indian people for traditional cultural and religious purposes, the Secretary shall assure nonexclusive access to the Monument and the Conservation area by the Indian people for traditional cultural and religious purposes, including the harvesting of pine nuts. Sponsor: Sen Domenici, Pete V. [NM] (introduced 12/17/1987) Cosponsors (1) Latest Major Action: 12/17/1987 Senate amendment agreed to. Status: Amendment SP 1363 agreed to in Senate by Voice Vote.