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# H. R. 819

To revise the boundaries of the George Washington Birthplace National Monument, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 4, 1993

Mr. BATEMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. GEORGE WASHINGTON BIRTHPLACE NATIONAL**

4 **MONUMENT.**

5 The Act of January 23, 1930 (46 Stat. 58, chapter  
6 24; 16 U.S.C. 442) is amended—

7 (1) in section 2—

8 (A) by inserting after “structures thereon”

9 the following: “(including lands described in

10 section 3)”; and

1 (B) by inserting after “Secretary of the In-  
2 terior” the following “(referred to in this Act as  
3 the ‘Secretary’)”;

4 (2) by redesignating section 3 as section 6; and

5 (3) by inserting after section 2 the following  
6 new sections:

7 **“SEC. 3. BOUNDARIES OF GEORGE WASHINGTON BIRTH-  
8 PLACE NATIONAL MONUMENT.**

9 “The boundaries of the George Washington Birth-  
10 place National Monument shall include the area compris-  
11 ing approximately 12 acres and generally depicted as the  
12 ‘National Monument Boundary’ on the map entitled  
13 ‘George Washington Birthplace National Monument  
14 Boundary Map’, numbered NPS 332/80,011A, and dated  
15 September 1992. The map shall be on file and available  
16 for public inspection in the Office of the Director of the  
17 National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

18 **“SEC. 4. ADMINISTRATION OF NATIONAL MONUMENT.**

19 “In administering the George Washington Birthplace  
20 National Monument, the Secretary shall take such action  
21 as is necessary to preserve and interpret—

22 “(1) the history and resources associated with  
23 George Washington;

1           “(2) the generations of the Washington family  
2           who lived in the vicinity and their contemporaries;  
3           and

4           “(3) 18th century plantation life and society.

5           **“SEC. 5. ACQUISITION OF LANDS.**

6           “The Secretary may acquire lands or interests in  
7           lands within the boundaries of the George Washington  
8           Birthplace National Monument by donation, purchase  
9           with donated or appropriated funds, or exchange.”.

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