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To authorize an interpretive center and related visitor facilities within the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park, and for other purposes.

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### IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 19, 1999

Mr. HATCH (for himself, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. DOMENICI, and Mr. ALLARD) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

MAY 12, 1999

Committee discharged; referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs

AUGUST 27, 1999

Reported under authority of the order of the Senate of August 5, 1999, by Mr. CAMPBELL, with an amendment

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## A BILL

To authorize an interpretive center and related visitor facilities within the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park, and for other purposes.

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

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Four Corners Interpre-  
3 tive Center Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. FINDINGS AND PURPOSES.**

5 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds that—

6 (1) the Four Corners Monument is nationally  
7 significant as the only geographic location in the  
8 United States where 4 State boundaries meet;

9 (2) the States with boundaries that meet at the  
10 Four Corners are Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico,  
11 and Utah;

12 (3) between 1868 and 1875 the boundary lines  
13 that created the Four Corners were drawn, and in  
14 1899 a monument was erected at the site;

15 (4) a United States postal stamp will be issued  
16 in 1999 to commemorate the centennial of the origi-  
17 nal boundary marker;

18 (5) the Four Corners area is distinct in char-  
19 acter and possess important historical, cultural, and  
20 prehistoric values and resources within the sur-  
21 rounding cultural landscape;

22 (6) although there are no permanent facilities  
23 or utilities at the Four Corners Monument Tribal  
24 Park, each year the park attracts approximately  
25 250,000 visitors;

1           (7) the area of the Four Corners Monument  
2 Tribal Park falls entirely within the Navajo Nation  
3 or Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservations;

4           (8) the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain  
5 Ute Tribe have entered into a Memorandum of Un-  
6 derstanding governing the planning and future de-  
7 velopment of the Four Corners Monument Tribal  
8 Park;

9           (9) in 1992, through agreements executed by  
10 the governors of Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico,  
11 and Utah, the Four Corners Heritage Council was  
12 established as a coalition of State, Federal, tribal,  
13 and private interests;

14           (10) the State of Arizona has obligated \$45,000  
15 for planning efforts and \$250,000 for construction  
16 of an interpretive center at the Four Corners Monu-  
17 ment Tribal Park;

18           (11) numerous studies and extensive consulta-  
19 tion with American Indians have demonstrated that  
20 development at the Four Corners Monument tribal  
21 park would greatly benefit the people of the Navajo  
22 Nation and the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe;

23           (12) the Arizona Department of Transportation  
24 has completed preliminary cost estimates that are  
25 based on field experience with rest-area development

1 for the construction of a Four Corners Monument  
2 Interpretive Center and surrounding infrastructure,  
3 including restrooms, roadways, parking, water, elec-  
4 trical, telephone, and sewage facilities;

5 (13) an interpretive center would provide im-  
6 portant educational and enrichment opportunities  
7 for all Americans;

8 (14) Federal financial assistance and technical  
9 expertise are needed for the construction of an inter-  
10 pretive center.

11 (b) PURPOSES.—The purposes of this Act are—

12 (1) to recognize the importance of the Four  
13 Corners Monument and surrounding landscape as a  
14 distinct area in the heritage of the United States  
15 that is worthy of interpretation and preservation;

16 (2) to assist the Navajo and the Ute Mountain  
17 Ute Tribe in establishing the Four Corners Interpre-  
18 tive Center and related facilities to meet the needs  
19 of the general public;

20 (3) to highlight and showcase the collaborative  
21 resource stewardship of private individuals, Indian  
22 tribes, universities, Federal agencies, and the gov-  
23 ernments of States and political subdivisions thereof  
24 (including counties);

1           (4) to promote knowledge of the life, art, cul-  
2           ture, politics, and history of the culturally diverse  
3           groups of the Four Corners region.

4 **SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.**

5           As used in this Act:

6           (1) CENTER.—The term “Center” means the  
7           Four Corners Interpretive Center established under  
8           section 4, including restroom, parking areas, vendor  
9           facilities, sidewalks, utilities, exhibits, and other vis-  
10          itor facilities.

11          (2) FOUR CORNERS HERITAGE COUNCIL.—The  
12          term “Four Corners Heritage Council” means the  
13          nonprofit coalition of Federal, State, and tribal enti-  
14          ties established in 1992 by agreements of the Gov-  
15          ernors of the States of Arizona, Colorado, New Mex-  
16          ico, and Utah.

17          (3) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means  
18          the Secretary of the Interior.

19          (4) RECIPIENT.—The term “Recipient” means  
20          the State of Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, or  
21          Utah, or any consortium of two or more of these  
22          states.

23          (5) FOUR CORNERS MONUMENT.—The term  
24          “Four Corners Monument” means the physical

1 monument where the boundaries of the States of Ar-  
 2 izona, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah meet.

3 (6) FOUR CORNERS MONUMENT TRIBAL  
 4 PARK.—The term “Four Corners Monument Tribal  
 5 Park” means lands within the legally defined bound-  
 6 ary of the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park.

7 **SEC. 4. FOUR CORNERS MONUMENT INTERPRETIVE CEN-**  
 8 **TER.**

9 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—Subject to the availability of  
 10 appropriations, the Secretary is authorized to establish  
 11 within the boundaries of the Four Corners Monument  
 12 Tribal Park a center for the interpretation and commemo-  
 13 ration of the Four Corners Monument, to be known as  
 14 the “Four Corners Interpretive Center.”

15 (b) Land for the Center shall be designated and made  
 16 available by the Navajo Nation or the Ute Mountain Ute  
 17 Tribe within the boundary of the Four Corners Monument  
 18 Tribal Park in consultation with the Four Corners Herit-  
 19 age Council and in accordance with—

20 (1) the memorandum of understanding between  
 21 the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe  
 22 that was entered into on October 22, 1996;

23 (2) applicable supplemental agreements with  
 24 the Bureau of Land Management, the National Park  
 25 Service, and the United States Forest Service.

1 (c) CONCURRENCE.—Notwithstanding any other pro-  
 2 vision of this act, no such center shall be established with-  
 3 out the consent of the Navajo Nation and the Ute Moun-  
 4 tain Ute Tribe.

5 (d) COMPONENTS OF CENTER.—The Center shall  
 6 include—

7 (1) a location for permanent and temporary ex-  
 8 hibits depicting the archaeological, cultural, and nat-  
 9 ural heritage of the Four Corners region;

10 (2) a venue for public education programs;

11 (3) a location to highlight the importance of ef-  
 12 forts to preserve southwestern archaeological sites  
 13 and museum collections;

14 (4) a location to provide information to the gen-  
 15 eral public about cultural and natural resources,  
 16 parks, museums, and travel in the Four Corners re-  
 17 gion.

18 **SEC. 5. CONSTRUCTION GRANT.**

19 (a) GRANT.—The Secretary is authorized to award  
 20 a Federal grant to the recipient described in section 3(4)  
 21 for up to 50 percent of the cost to construct the Center.  
 22 To be eligible for the grant, the recipient shall provide as-  
 23 surances that:

24 (1) The non-Federal share of the costs of con-  
 25 struction is paid from non-Federal sources. The non-

1 Federal sources may include contributions made by  
 2 States, private sources, the Navajo Nation and the  
 3 Ute Mountain Ute Tribe for planning, design, con-  
 4 struction, furnishing, startup, and operational ex-  
 5 penses.

6 (2) The aggregate amount of non-Federal funds  
 7 contributed by the States used to carry out the ac-  
 8 tivities specified in subparagraph (A) will not be less  
 9 than \$2,000,000, of which each of the States that  
 10 is party to the grant will contribute equally in cash  
 11 or in kind.

12 (3) The State of Arizona may apply \$45,000  
 13 authorized by the State of Arizona during fiscal year  
 14 1998 for planning and \$250,000 that is held in re-  
 15 serve by the State for construction toward the Ari-  
 16 zona share.

17 (b) GRANT REQUIREMENTS.—In order to receive a  
 18 grant under this act, the recipient shall—

19 (1) submit to the Secretary a proposal that  
 20 meets all applicable—

21 (A) laws, including building codes and reg-  
 22 ulations; and

23 (B) requirements under the Memorandum  
 24 of Understanding described in paragraph (2) of  
 25 this subsection; and

1           (C) provides such information and assur-  
2           ances as the Secretary may require.

3           (2) The recipient shall enter into a Memo-  
4           randum of Understanding (MOU) with the Secretary  
5           providing—

6           (A) a timetable for completion of construc-  
7           tion and opening of the Center;

8           (B) assurances that design, architectural  
9           and construction contracts will be competitively  
10          awarded;

11          (C) specifications meeting all applicable  
12          Federal, State, and local building codes and  
13          laws;

14          (D) arrangements for operations and  
15          maintenance upon completion of construction;

16          (E) a description of center collections and  
17          educational programming;

18          (F) a plan for design of exhibits including,  
19          but not limited to, collections to be exhibited,  
20          security, preservation, protection, environmental  
21          controls, and presentations in accordance with  
22          professional museum standards;

23          (G) an agreement with the Navajo Nation  
24          and the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe relative to site  
25          selection and public access to the facilities;

1 (H) a financing plan developed jointly by  
2 the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain Ute  
3 Tribe outlining the long-term management of  
4 the Center, including but not limited to—

5 (i) the acceptance and use of funds  
6 derived from public and private sources to  
7 minimize the use of appropriated or bor-  
8 rowed funds;

9 (ii) the payment of the operating costs  
10 of the Center through the assessment of  
11 fees or other income generated by the Cen-  
12 ter;

13 (iii) a strategy for achieving financial  
14 self-sufficiency with respect to the Center  
15 by not later than 5 years after the date of  
16 enactment of this Act;

17 (iv) defining appropriate vendor  
18 standards and business activities at the  
19 Four Corners Monument Tribal Park.

20 **SEC. 6. SELECTION OF GRANT RECIPIENT.**

21 The Secretary is authorized to award a grant in ac-  
22 cordance with the provisions of this act. The Four Corners  
23 Heritage Council may make recommendations to the Sec-  
24 retary on grant proposals regarding the design of facilities  
25 at the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park.

1 **SEC. 7. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

2 (a) **AUTHORIZATIONS.**—There are authorized to be  
3 appropriated to carry out this act—

4 (1) \$2,000,000 for fiscal year 2000; and

5 (2) \$50,000 for each of fiscal years 2001–2005  
6 for maintenance and operation of the center, pro-  
7 gram development, or staffing in a manner con-  
8 sistent with the requirements of Section 5(b).

9 (b) **CARRYOVER.**—Any funds made available under  
10 this section that are unexpended at the end of the fiscal  
11 year for which those funds are appropriated, may be used  
12 by the Secretary through fiscal year 2002 for the purposes  
13 for which those funds were made available.

14 (c) **RESERVATION OF FUNDS.**—The Secretary may  
15 reserve funds appropriated pursuant to this act until a  
16 proposal meeting the requirements of this act is sub-  
17 mitted, but no later than September 30, 2001.

18 **SEC. 8. DONATIONS.**

19 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for pur-  
20 poses of the planning, construction, and operation of the  
21 Center, the Secretary may accept, retain, and expend do-  
22 nations of funds, and use property or services donated  
23 from private persons and entities or from public entities.

24 **SEC. 9. STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION.**

25 Nothing in this Act is intended to abrogate, modify,  
26 or impair any right or claim of the Navajo Nation

1 or the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe, that is based on any law  
2 (including any treaty, Executive order, agreement, or Act  
3 of Congress).

4 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

5 *This Act may be cited as the “Four Corners Interpre-*  
6 *tive Center Act”.*

7 **SEC. 2. FINDINGS AND PURPOSES.**

8 (a) *FINDINGS.—Congress finds that—*

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11 *United States where 4 State boundaries meet;*

12 (2) *the States with boundaries that meet at the*  
13 *Four Corners are Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico,*  
14 *and Utah;*

15 (3) *between 1868 and 1875 the boundary lines*  
16 *that created the Four Corners were drawn, and in*  
17 *1899 a monument was erected at the site;*

18 (4) *a United States postal stamp will be issued*  
19 *in 1999 to commemorate the centennial of the origi-*  
20 *nal boundary marker;*

21 (5) *the Four Corners area is distinct in char-*  
22 *acter and possesses important historical, cultural, and*  
23 *prehistoric values and resources within the sur-*  
24 *rounding cultural landscape;*

1           (6) *although there are no permanent facilities or*  
2 *utilities at the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park,*  
3 *each year the park attracts approximately 250,000*  
4 *visitors;*

5           (7) *the area of the Four Corners Monument*  
6 *Tribal Park falls entirely within the Navajo Nation*  
7 *or Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservations;*

8           (8) *the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain Ute*  
9 *Tribe have entered into a memorandum of under-*  
10 *standing governing the planning and future develop-*  
11 *ment of the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park;*

12           (9) *in 1992, through agreements executed by the*  
13 *Governors of Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, and*  
14 *Utah, the Four Corners Heritage Council was estab-*  
15 *lished as a coalition of State, Federal, tribal, and pri-*  
16 *vate interests;*

17           (10) *the State of Arizona has obligated \$45,000*  
18 *for planning efforts and \$250,000 for construction of*  
19 *an interpretive center at the Four Corners Monument*  
20 *Tribal Park;*

21           (11) *numerous studies and extensive consultation*  
22 *with American Indians have demonstrated that devel-*  
23 *opment at the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park*  
24 *would greatly benefit the people of the Navajo Nation*  
25 *and the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe;*

1           (12) *the Arizona Department of Transportation*  
2           *has completed preliminary cost estimates that are*  
3           *based on field experience with rest-area development*  
4           *for the construction of a Four Corners Interpretive*  
5           *Center and surrounding infrastructure, including*  
6           *restrooms, roadways, parking areas, and water, elec-*  
7           *trical, telephone, and sewage facilities;*

8           (13) *an interpretive center would provide impor-*  
9           *tant educational and enrichment opportunities for all*  
10          *Americans; and*

11          (14) *Federal financial assistance and technical*  
12          *expertise are needed for the construction of an inter-*  
13          *pretive center.*

14          (b) *PURPOSES.*—*The purposes of this Act are—*

15               (1) *to recognize the importance of the Four Cor-*  
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17               *tinct area in the heritage of the United States that is*  
18               *worthy of interpretation and preservation;*

19               (2) *to assist the Navajo Nation and the Ute*  
20               *Mountain Ute Tribe in establishing the Four Corners*  
21               *Interpretive Center and related facilities to meet the*  
22               *needs of the general public;*

23               (3) *to highlight and showcase the collaborative*  
24               *resource stewardship of private individuals, Indian*  
25               *tribes, universities, Federal agencies, and the govern-*

1        *ments of States and political subdivisions thereof (in-*  
2        *cluding counties); and*

3                *(4) to promote knowledge of the life, art, culture,*  
4        *politics, and history of the culturally diverse groups*  
5        *of the Four Corners region.*

6    **SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.**

7        *As used in this Act:*

8                *(1) CENTER.—The term “Center” means the*  
9        *Four Corners Interpretive Center established under*  
10        *section 4, including restrooms, parking areas, vendor*  
11        *facilities, sidewalks, utilities, exhibits, and other vis-*  
12        *itor facilities.*

13                *(2) ELIGIBLE ENTITY.—The term “eligible enti-*  
14        *ty” means the State of Arizona, Colorado, New Mex-*  
15        *ico, or Utah, or any consortium of 2 or more of those*  
16        *States.*

17                *(3) FOUR CORNERS HERITAGE COUNCIL.—The*  
18        *term “Four Corners Heritage Council” means the*  
19        *nonprofit coalition of Federal, State, tribal, and pri-*  
20        *vate entities established in 1992 by agreements of the*  
21        *Governors of the States of Arizona, Colorado, New*  
22        *Mexico, and Utah.*

23                *(4) FOUR CORNERS MONUMENT.—The term*  
24        *“Four Corners Monument” means the physical monu-*

1 *ment where the boundaries of the States of Arizona,*  
 2 *Colorado, New Mexico, and Utah meet.*

3 (5) *FOUR CORNERS MONUMENT TRIBAL PARK.*—  
 4 *The term “Four Corners Monument Tribal Park”*  
 5 *means lands within the legally defined boundaries of*  
 6 *the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park.*

7 (6) *SECRETARY.*—*The term “Secretary” means*  
 8 *the Secretary of the Interior.*

9 **SEC. 4. FOUR CORNERS INTERPRETIVE CENTER.**

10 (a) *ESTABLISHMENT.*—*Subject to the availability of*  
 11 *appropriations, the Secretary is authorized to establish*  
 12 *within the boundaries of the Four Corners Monument Trib-*  
 13 *al Park a center for the interpretation and commemoration*  
 14 *of the Four Corners Monument, to be known as the “Four*  
 15 *Corners Interpretive Center”.*

16 (b) *LAND DESIGNATED AND MADE AVAILABLE.*—*Land*  
 17 *for the Center shall be designated and made available by*  
 18 *the Navajo Nation or the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe within*  
 19 *the boundaries of the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park*  
 20 *in consultation with the Four Corners Heritage Council*  
 21 *and in accordance with—*

22 (1) *the memorandum of understanding between*  
 23 *the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe*  
 24 *that was entered into on October 22, 1996; and*

1           (2) *applicable supplemental agreements with the*  
2           *Bureau of Land Management, the National Park*  
3           *Service, and the United States Forest Service.*

4           (c) *CONCURRENCE.*—*Notwithstanding any other pro-*  
5           *vision of this Act, no such center shall be established without*  
6           *the consent of the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain*  
7           *Ute Tribe.*

8           (d) *COMPONENTS OF CENTER.*—*The Center shall*  
9           *include—*

10           (1) *a location for permanent and temporary ex-*  
11           *hibits depicting the archaeological, cultural, and nat-*  
12           *ural heritage of the Four Corners region;*

13           (2) *a venue for public education programs;*

14           (3) *a location to highlight the importance of ef-*  
15           *forts to preserve southwestern archaeological sites and*  
16           *museum collections;*

17           (4) *a location to provide information to the gen-*  
18           *eral public about cultural and natural resources,*  
19           *parks, museums, and travel in the Four Corners re-*  
20           *gion; and*

21           (5) *visitor amenities including restrooms, public*  
22           *telephones, and other basic facilities.*

23 **SEC. 5. CONSTRUCTION GRANT.**

24           (a) *GRANT.*—

1           (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Secretary is authorized to*  
2           *award a grant to an eligible entity for the construc-*  
3           *tion of the Center in an amount not to exceed 50 per-*  
4           *cent of the cost of construction of the Center.*

5           (2) *ASSURANCES.*—*To be eligible for the grant,*  
6           *the eligible entity that is selected to receive the grant*  
7           *shall provide assurances that—*

8                   (A) *the non-Federal share of the costs of*  
9                   *construction is paid from non-Federal sources*  
10                  *(which may include contributions made by*  
11                  *States, private sources, the Navajo Nation, and*  
12                  *the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe for planning, de-*  
13                  *sign, construction, furnishing, startup, and oper-*  
14                  *ational expenses); and*

15                  (B) *the aggregate amount of non-Federal*  
16                  *funds contributed by the States used to carry out*  
17                  *the activities specified in subparagraph (A) will*  
18                  *not be less than \$2,000,000, of which each of the*  
19                  *States that is party to the grant will contribute*  
20                  *equally in cash or in kind.*

21           (3) *FUNDS FROM PRIVATE SOURCES.*—*A State*  
22           *may use funds from private sources to meet the re-*  
23           *quirements of paragraph (2)(B).*

24           (4) *FUNDS OF STATE OF ARIZONA.*—*The State of*  
25           *Arizona may apply \$45,000 authorized by the State*

1       *of Arizona during fiscal year 1998 for planning and*  
2       *\$250,000 that is held in reserve by the State for con-*  
3       *struction toward the Arizona share.*

4       **(b) GRANT REQUIREMENTS.**—*In order to receive a*  
5       *grant under this Act, the eligible entity selected to receive*  
6       *the grant shall—*

7               *(1) submit to the Secretary a proposal that—*

8                       *(A) meets all applicable—*

9                               *(i) laws, including building codes and*  
10                               *regulations; and*

11                               *(ii) requirements under the memo-*  
12                               *randum of understanding described in*  
13                               *paragraph (2); and*

14                       *(B) provides such information and assur-*  
15                       *ances as the Secretary may require; and*

16               *(2) enter into a memorandum of understanding*  
17       *with the Secretary providing—*

18                       *(A) a timetable for completion of construc-*  
19                       *tion and opening of the Center;*

20                       *(B) assurances that design, architectural,*  
21                       *and construction contracts will be competitively*  
22                       *awarded;*

23                       *(C) specifications meeting all applicable*  
24                       *Federal, State, and local building codes and*  
25                       *laws;*

1           (D) arrangements for operations and main-  
2           tenance upon completion of construction;

3           (E) a description of the Center collections  
4           and educational programming;

5           (F) a plan for design of exhibits including,  
6           but not limited to, the selection of collections to  
7           be exhibited, and the providing of security, pres-  
8           ervation, protection, environmental controls, and  
9           presentations in accordance with professional  
10          museum standards;

11          (G) an agreement with the Navajo Nation  
12          and the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe relative to site  
13          selection and public access to the facilities; and

14          (H) a financing plan developed jointly by  
15          the Navajo Nation and the Ute Mountain Ute  
16          Tribe outlining the long-term management of the  
17          Center, including—

18               (i) the acceptance and use of funds de-  
19               rived from public and private sources to  
20               minimize the use of appropriated or bor-  
21               rowed funds;

22               (ii) the payment of the operating costs  
23               of the Center through the assessment of fees  
24               or other income generated by the Center;

1                   (iii) a strategy for achieving financial  
2                   self-sufficiency with respect to the Center by  
3                   not later than 5 years after the date of en-  
4                   actment of this Act; and

5                   (iv) appropriate vendor standards and  
6                   business activities at the Four Corners  
7                   Monument Tribal Park.

8 **SEC. 6. SELECTION OF GRANT RECIPIENT.**

9           *The Four Corners Heritage Council may make rec-*  
10 *ommendations to the Secretary on grant proposals regard-*  
11 *ing the design of facilities at the Four Corners Monument*  
12 *Tribal Park.*

13 **SEC. 7. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

14           (a) *AUTHORIZATIONS.*—*There are authorized to be ap-*  
15 *propriated to the Department of the Interior to carry out*  
16 *this Act—*

17                   (1) *\$2,000,000 for fiscal year 2000; and*

18                   (2) *\$50,000 for each of fiscal years 2001 through*  
19 *2005 for maintenance and operation of the Center,*  
20 *program development, or staffing in a manner con-*  
21 *sistent with the requirements of section 5(b).*

22           (b) *CARRYOVER.*—*Funds made available under sub-*  
23 *section (a)(1) that are unexpended at the end of the fiscal*  
24 *year for which those funds are appropriated, may be used*

1 *by the Secretary through fiscal year 2002 for the purposes*  
2 *for which those funds are made available.*

3 (c) *RESERVATION OF FUNDS.—The Secretary may re-*  
4 *serve funds appropriated pursuant to this Act until a grant*  
5 *proposal meeting the requirements of this Act is submitted,*  
6 *but no later than September 30, 2001.*

7 **SEC. 8. DONATIONS.**

8 *Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for pur-*  
9 *poses of the planning, construction, and operation of the*  
10 *Center, the Secretary may accept, retain, and expend dona-*  
11 *tions of funds, and use property or services donated, from*  
12 *private persons and entities or from public entities.*

13 **SEC. 9. STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION.**

14 *Nothing in this Act is intended to abrogate, modify,*  
15 *or impair any right or claim of the Navajo Nation*  
16 *or the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe, that is based on any law*  
17 *(including any treaty, Executive order, agreement, or Act*  
18 *of Congress).*



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**A BILL**

To authorize an interpretive center and related visitor facilities within the Four Corners Monument Tribal Park, and for other purposes.

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