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H. R. 5690

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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AN ACT

To adjust the boundaries of the Ouachita National Forest
in the States of Oklahoma and Arkansas.

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 “Ouachita National
3 Forest Boundary Adjustment Act of 2006”.

4 **SEC. 2. BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT, OUACHITA NATIONAL**
5 **FOREST, OKLAHOMA AND ARKANSAS.**

6 (a) BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT.—The boundaries of
7 the Ouachita National Forest in the States of Oklahoma
8 and Arkansas are hereby modified as generally depicted
9 on the following maps, all dated May 15, 2001, and more
10 particularly delineated and described according to the final
11 boundary adjustment maps and boundary descriptions
12 filed in the Office of the Chief of the Forest Service:

13 (1) The map entitled “Ouachita National For-
14 est Boundary Extension for the Broken Bow Area”.

15 (2) The map entitled “Ouachita National For-
16 est Boundary Extension for the Southern Tiak
17 Area”.

18 (3) The map entitled “Ouachita National For-
19 est Boundary Extension for the Northern Ouachita
20 Area”.

21 (4) The map entitled “Ouachita National For-
22 est Boundary Extension for the Southern Ouachita
23 Area”.

24 (5) The map entitled “Ouachita National For-
25 est Boundary Extension for the Eastern Ouachita
26 Area”.

1 (b) AVAILABILITY AND CORRECTION.—The maps re-
2 ferred to in subsection (a) shall be on file and available
3 for public inspection in the Office of the Chief of the For-
4 est Service. The Secretary of Agriculture may make minor
5 corrections to the maps.

6 (c) MANAGEMENT OF ACQUIRED LAND.—Any feder-
7 ally-owned lands that have been or hereafter may be ac-
8 quired for National Forest System purposes within the
9 boundaries of the Ouachita National Forest, as modified
10 by subsection (a), shall be managed as lands acquired
11 under the Act of March 1, 1911 (commonly known as the
12 Weeks Act), and in accordance with the other laws and
13 regulations pertaining to the National Forest System.
14 Nothing in this subsection shall limit the authority of the
15 Secretary of Agriculture to adjust the boundaries of the
16 Ouachita National Forest pursuant to section 11 of such
17 Act (16 U.S.C. 521).

18 (d) RELATION TO LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION
19 FUND ACT.—For purposes of section 7 of the Land and
20 Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 (16 U.S.C. 4601–
21 9), the boundaries of the Ouachita National Forest, as
22 modified by subsection (a), shall be considered to be

1 boundaries of the Ouachita National Forest as of January
2 1, 1965.

Passed the House of Representatives September 27,
2006.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,

Clerk.