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# S. 1802

To adjust the boundaries of the Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness  
in the State of Idaho.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 17, 2007

Mr. CRAIG introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred  
to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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## A BILL

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No Return Wilderness in the State of Idaho.

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Idaho Wilderness  
5 Boundary Modification Act of 2007”.

6 **SEC. 2. PURPOSES.**

7 The purposes of this Act are—

8 (1) to adjust the boundaries of the wilderness  
9 area; and

1           (2) to authorize the Secretary to resolve con-  
2       flicts relating to the private use of the land des-  
3       ignated for exclusion.

4 **SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.**

5       In this Act:

6           (1) LAND DESIGNATED FOR EXCLUSION.—The  
7       term “land designated for exclusion” means the par-  
8       cel of land that is—

9           (A) comprised of approximately 10.197  
10       acres of land;

11           (B) depicted on the survey; and

12           (C) more particularly described as—

13           (i) beginning at the point of intersec-  
14       tion of a line parallel with, and offset 300  
15       feet northwesterly from, the line between  
16       corners 2 and 3, Homestead Entry Survey  
17       No. 74, and a line parallel with, and offset  
18       300 feet northwesterly from, the line be-  
19       tween corners 3 and 4, Homestead Entry  
20       Survey No. 74;

21           (ii) thence north, 946.94 feet to the  
22       point of intersection with a line parallel  
23       with, and offset 300 feet southwesterly  
24       from, the line between corners 1 and 8,  
25       Homestead Entry Survey No. 135;

1 (iii) thence S. 52056' 28" E., 271.13  
2 feet along said line to the point of intersec-  
3 tion with a line parallel with, and offset  
4 300 feet southerly from, the line between  
5 corners 7 and 8, Homestead Entry Survey  
6 No. 135;

7 (iv) thence along said line N. 81°34'  
8 20" E., 868.03 feet to the point of inter-  
9 section with a line parallel with, and offset  
10 300 feet northwesterly from, the line be-  
11 tween corners 4 and 5, Homestead Entry  
12 Survey No. 74;

13 (v) thence along said line S. 4640'  
14 46" W., 509.91 feet to the point of inter-  
15 section with a line parallel with, and offset  
16 300 feet northwesterly from, the line be-  
17 tween corners 3 and 4, Homestead Entry  
18 Survey No. 74; and

19 (vi) thence along said line S. 51027'  
20 18" W., 900.18 feet, to the point of begin-  
21 ning.

22 (2) LAND DESIGNATED FOR INCLUSION.—The  
23 term "land designated for inclusion" means the par-  
24 cel of National Forest System land that is—

1 (A) comprised of approximately 10.2 acres  
2 of land;

3 (B) located in unsurveyed section 22, T.  
4 14 N., R. 13 E., Boise Meridian, Custer Coun-  
5 ty, Idaho; and

6 (C) more particularly described as—

7 (i) beginning at the point of intersec-  
8 tion of the westerly extension of the east-  
9 west line passing through the confluence of  
10 No Name Creek and Loon Creek with the  
11 6000-foot contour;

12 (ii) thence east to the 6200-foot con-  
13 tour;

14 (iii) thence northerly along the 6200-  
15 foot contour 312 feet;

16 (iv) thence west to the 6000-foot con-  
17 tour; and

18 (v) thence along the 6000-foot contour  
19 308 feet to the point of beginning.

20 (3) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means  
21 the Secretary of Agriculture.

22 (4) SURVEY.—The term “survey” means the  
23 survey plat entitled “Proposed Boundary Chage  
24 FCRONRW Sections 15 (Unsurveyed), Township 14  
25 North, Range 13 East, B.M. Custer County, Idaho”,

1 prepared by C. Hoffman & Schroeder, and dated  
2 November 14, 2001.

3 (5) WILDERNESS AREA.—The term “wilderness  
4 area” means the Frank Church River of No Return  
5 Wilderness designated by section 3 of the Central  
6 Idaho Wilderness Act of 1980 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;  
7 94 Stat. 948).

8 **SEC. 4. BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT.**

9 (a) ADJUSTMENT TO WILDERNESS AREA.—

10 (1) INCLUSION.—The wilderness area shall in-  
11 clude the land designated for inclusion.

12 (2) EXCLUSION.—The wilderness area shall not  
13 include the land designated for exclusion.

14 (b) CORRECTIONS TO SURVEY.—The Secretary may  
15 make corrections to the survey.

16 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF SECRETARY.—Notwith-  
17 standing the acreage requirement described in section 3(2)  
18 of Public Law 97–465 (commonly known as the “Small  
19 Tracts Act”) (16 U.S.C. 521e(2)), the Secretary may re-  
20 solve any encroachment on the land designated for exclu-  
21 sion in accordance with that section.

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