SEC. 6. USE OF PICK-SLOAN POWER.

(a) In general.—Except as provided in paragraph (2), the pick-sloan Missouri river basin program, the western area power administration shall make available for water projects in the States of South Dakota, Iowa, and Minnesota under law in effect on or after the date of enactment of this Act, including the capacity and energy made available under subsection (a), from a qualification preference power supplier that itself purchases power from the Western Area Power Administration.

(b) PROJECT DISTRIBUTION.—The amount of funds used by the Commissioner of Reclamation for oversight described in subparagraph (A) shall not exceed the amount provided in the total project construction budget for the entire project construction period.

(c) OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE.—The water supply system shall be responsible for annual operation and maintenance of the project.

SEC. 7. NO LIMITATION ON WATER PROJECTS IN STATES.

This Act does not limit the authorization for water projects in the States of South Dakota, Iowa, and Minnesota under law in effect on or after the date of enactment of this Act.

SEC. 8. WATER RIGHTS.

(a) FEDERAL COST SHARING.—(1) In general.—Except as provided in paragraph (2), the Secretary shall provide funds equal to 80 percent of—

(A) the amount allocated in the total project construction budget for planning and construction of the water supply project under section 3; and

(B) such amounts as are necessary to defray increases in development costs reflected in appropriate engineering cost indices after September 1, 1993.

(2) SIoux falls.—The Secretary shall provide funds for the city of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, in an amount equal to 50 percent of the incremental cost to the city to participate in the project.

(b) NON-FEDERAL COST SHARE.—(1) In general.—Except as provided in paragraph (2), the non-Federal share of the costs allocated to the water supply system shall be 20 percent of the amounts described in subsection (a).

(2) SIoux falls.—The non-Federal cost-share for the city of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, shall be 50 percent of the incremental cost to the city of participation in the project.

SEC. 10. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION.

(a) AUTHORIZATION.—At the request of the water supply system, the Secretary may allow the Commissioner of Reclamation to provide project construction oversight to the water supply project and environmental enhancement component for the service area of the water supply system described in subsection (b).

(b) PROJECT OVERSIGHT ADMINISTRATION.—The amount of funds used by the Commissioner of Reclamation for oversight described in subsection (a) shall not exceed the amount that is equal to 1 percent of the amount provided in the total project construction budget for the project construction period.

(c) OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE.—The water supply system shall be responsible for annual operation and maintenance of the project.

SEC. 11. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this Act $223,987,700, to remain available until expended, of not more than $10,100,000 shall be used for the initial development of the environmental enhancement component described in paragraph (2) of section 4.

The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute was agreed to.

The bill (S. 244), as amended, was read the third time and passed.

THE CALENDAR

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the consideration en bloc of the following reported by the Energy Committee:


I further ask consent that H.R. 2079 be discharged from the Energy Committee and the Senate proceed to its consideration and H.R. 2889, which is at the desk.

I ask unanimous consent that any committee amendments, if applicable, be agreed to, with exception of calendar No. 367, H.R. 20, in which the committee amendments be withdrawn, and further, any amendments mentioned be agreed to, the bills be read the third time and passed, any title amendments be agreed to, the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements relating to any of these bills appear at this point in the Record, with the above occurring en bloc.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. ALARD). Without objection, it is so ordered.

GATEWAY VISITOR CENTER AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1999

The bill (H.R. 449) to authorize the Gateway Visitor Center at Independence National Historical Park, and for other purposes, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

MT. HOPE WATERPOWER PROJECT

The bill (H.R. 459) to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act for FERC Project No. 9401, the Mt. Hope Waterpower Project, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

STAR-SPANGLED BANNER NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL STUDY ACT OF 1999

The bill (H.R. 791) to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route of the War of 1812 British invasion of Maryland and Washington, District of Columbia, and the route of the American defense, for study for potential addition to the national trails system, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

OTAY MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS ACT OF 1999

The bill (H.R. 15) to designate a portion of the Otay Mountain region of California as wilderness, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

ARIZONA STATEHOOD AND ENABLING ACT OF AMENDMENTS OF 1999

The bill (H.R. 747) to protect the permanent trust funds of the State of Arizona from erosion due to inflation and modify the basis on which distributions are made from those funds, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE VISITOR CENTER

The bill (H.R. 1104) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to transfer administrative jurisdiction over land within the boundaries of the Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt National Historic Site to the Archivist of the United States for the construction of a visitor center, was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

THOMAS COLE NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE ACT

The bill (H.R. 658) to establish the Thomas Cole National Historic Site in