

Public Law 96-162  
96th Congress

An Act

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to engage in a feasibility study.

Dec. 28, 1979

[S. 585]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Department of the Interior is authorized and directed to conduct a feasibility study of the Yakima River Basin Water Enhancement Project, which shall include an analysis by the United States Geological Survey of the water-supply data for the Yakima River Basin. The Secretary is authorized to accept moneys from the State of Washington or other persons or entities, public or private, to assist in the financing of the feasibility study.

Yakima River  
Basin Water  
Enhancement  
Project,  
feasibility study.

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**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:**

HOUSE REPORT No. 96-601 accompanying H.R. 2757 (Comm. on Interior and Insular Affairs).

SENATE REPORT No. 96-248 (Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources).

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 125 (1979):

July 23, considered and passed Senate.

Dec. 10, H.R. 2757 considered and passed House; passage vacated and S. 585, amended, passed in lieu.

Dec. 18, Senate concurred in House amendments.