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H. R. 4438

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 13, 2010

Mr. RODRIGUEZ (for himself, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. GONZALEZ) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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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 “San Antonio Missions
3 National Historical Park Leasing and Boundary Expan-
4 sion Act of 2010”.

5 **SEC. 2. PARK HEADQUARTERS LEASE AND BOUNDARY**
6 **STUDY.**

7 Section 201 of Public Law 95–629 (16 U.S.C. 410ee)
8 is amended—

9 (1) by redesignating subsections (b), (c), (d),
10 (e), and (f) as subsections (c), (e), (f), (g), and (h)
11 respectively;

12 (2) by inserting after subsection (a) the fol-
13 lowing new subsection:

14 “(b) BOUNDARY STUDY.—

15 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall con-
16 duct a study of lands within Bexar and Wilson
17 Counties, Texas, to identify lands that would be
18 suitable for inclusion within the boundaries of the
19 park. In conducting the study, the Secretary shall
20 examine the natural, cultural, recreational, and sce-
21 nic values and characteristics of lands within Bexar
22 and Wilson Counties.

23 “(2) REPORT.—Not later than 3 years after the
24 date funds are made available for the study under
25 paragraph (1), the Secretary shall submit to the
26 Committee on Natural Resources of the House of

1 Representatives and the Committee on Energy and
2 Natural Resources of the Senate a report on the
3 findings, conclusions, and recommendations of the
4 study.”; and

5 (3) by inserting after subsection (c) (as so re-
6 designated) the following new subsection:

7 “(d) LEASING AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEAD-
8 QUARTERS.—The Secretary may directly enter into—

9 “(1) a lease agreement with a non-profit orga-
10 nization, or a State or local governmental agency,
11 for office space outside the boundary of the park for
12 a headquarters and operational support building for
13 the San Antonio Missions National Historical Park;
14 and

15 “(2) in conjunction with a headquarters lease
16 authorized in paragraph (1), agreements with a non-
17 profit organization, or a State or local government
18 agency, for the construction, management, or both,
19 of a center for research and education.”.

20 **SEC. 3. BOUNDARY EXPANSION.**

21 Section 201(a) of Public Law 95–629 (16 U.S.C.
22 410ee(a)) is amended as follows:

23 (1) By striking “In order” and inserting the
24 following:

25 “(1) In order”.

1 (2) By striking “The park shall also” and in-
2 serting the following:

3 “(2) The park shall also”.

4 (3) By striking “After advising the” and insert-
5 ing the following:

6 “(4) After advising the”.

7 (4) By inserting after paragraph (2) (as so des-
8 ignated by paragraph (2) above) the following:

9 “(3) The boundary of the park is further modi-
10 fied to include approximately 151 acres, as depicted
11 on the map titled ‘San Antonio Missions National
12 Historical Park Proposed Boundary Addition 2009’,
13 numbered 472/68,027, and dated November 2009.
14 The map shall be on file and available for inspection
15 in the appropriate offices of the National Park Serv-
16 ice, U.S. Department of the Interior.”.

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