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H. R. 6453

To facilitate planning, permitting, administration, implementation, and monitoring of pinyon-juniper dominated landscape restoration projects within Lincoln County, Nevada, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. AMODEI 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. FACILITATION OF PINYON-JUNIPER RELATED**
4 **PROJECTS.**

5 (a) AVAILABILITY OF SPECIAL ACCOUNT UNDER
6 LINCOLN COUNTY LAND ACT OF 2000.—Section 5(b) of
7 the Lincoln County Land Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–
8 298; 114 Stat. 1048), is amended—

1 (1) in paragraph (1)—

2 (A) in subparagraph (B), by inserting
3 “and implementation” after “development”;
4 and

5 (B) in subparagraph (C)—

6 (i) in clause (i), by striking “; and”
7 and inserting a semicolon; and

8 (ii) by adding at the end the following
9 new clause:

10 “(iii) planning, permitting, administration,
11 implementation, and monitoring of pinyon-juni-
12 per dominated landscape restoration projects
13 within Lincoln County, consistent with the Ely
14 Resource Management Plan; and”;

15 (2) by adding at the end the following new
16 paragraph:

17 “(3) WAIVER OF FEES.—Processing of applica-
18 tions for rights-of-way submitted by a local govern-
19 ment or regional government to serve lands conveyed
20 pursuant to this Act shall not require payment of
21 cost recovery fees or payment of contributed funds.”.

22 (b) AVAILABILITY OF SPECIAL ACCOUNT UNDER
23 LINCOLN COUNTY CONSERVATION, RECREATION, AND
24 DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2004.—Section 103 of the Lin-
25 coln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development

1 Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–424; 118 Stat. 2406) is
2 amended—

3 (1) in subsection (b)(3)—

4 (A) in subparagraph (E), by striking “;
5 and” and inserting a semicolon;

6 (B) in subparagraph (F), by striking the
7 period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

8 (C) by adding at the end the following new
9 subparagraph:

10 “(G) planning, permitting, administration,
11 implementation, and monitoring of pinyon-juni-
12 per dominated landscape restoration projects
13 within Lincoln County, consistent with the Ely
14 Resource Management Plan.”; and

15 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
16 section:

17 “(d) WAIVER OF FEES.—Processing of applications
18 for rights-of-way submitted by a local government or re-
19 gional government to serve lands conveyed pursuant to
20 this Act shall not require payment of cost recovery fees
21 or payment of contributed funds.”.

22 **SEC. 2. DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS.**

23 (a) DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS UNDER LINCOLN
24 COUNTY LAND ACT OF 2000.—Section 5(a)(2) of the Lin-
25 coln County Land Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–298; 114

1 Stat. 1047) is amended by inserting “and economic devel-
2 opment” after “schools”.

3 (b) DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS UNDER LINCOLN
4 COUNTY CONSERVATION, RECREATION, AND DEVELOP-
5 MENT ACT OF 2004.—Section 103(b)(2) of the Lincoln
6 County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of
7 2004 (Public Law 108–424; 118 Stat. 2405) is amended
8 by striking “and transportation” and inserting “transpor-
9 tation, and economic development”.

10 **SEC. 3. CERTAIN LANDS IN UTILITY CORRIDOR NOT WITH-**
11 **DRAWN.**

12 Section 301(c) of the Lincoln County Conservation,
13 Recreation, and Development Act of 2004 (Public Law
14 108–424; 118 Stat. 2413) is amended, in the matter pre-
15 ceding paragraph (1), by inserting “, except for land in
16 such corridors located in sections 7, 8, 9, 10, and 15,
17 Township 7 North, Range 68 East,” after “subsection
18 (a)”.

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