

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1161

To amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to reauthorize the voluntary public access and habitat incentive program.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 30, 2023

Mr. DAINES (for himself, Mr. BENNET, and Mr. MARSHALL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Voluntary Public Ac-
5 cess Improvement Act of 2023”.

6 **SEC. 2. VOLUNTARY PUBLIC ACCESS AND HABITAT INCEN-**
7 **TIVE PROGRAM.**

8 Section 1240R(f)(1) of the Food Security Act of
9 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3839bb–5(f)(1)) is amended—

10 (1) by striking “and” after “2018,”; and

1 (2) by inserting “, and \$150,000,000 for the
2 period of fiscal years 2024 through 2028” before the
3 period at the end.

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