

115TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 3534

To redesignate the New River Gorge National River in the State of West Virginia as the “New River Gorge National Park”.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 1 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 28), 2018

Mrs. CAPITO introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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## 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 “New River Gorge Na-  
5       tional Park Designation Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. DESIGNATION OF NEW RIVER GORGE NATIONAL**  
7       **PARK, WEST VIRGINIA.**

8       (a) REDESIGNATION.—The New River Gorge Na-  
9       tional River established under section 1101 of the Na-  
10      tional Parks and Recreation Act of 1978 (16 U.S.C.

1 460m–15) shall be known and designated as the “New  
2 River Gorge National Park”.

3 (b) REFERENCES.—Any reference in a law, map, reg-  
4 ulation, document, paper, or other record of the United  
5 States to the New River Gorge National River shall be  
6 considered to be a reference to the “New River Gorge Na-  
7 tional Park”.

8 (c) EFFECT OF REDESIGNATION ON CERTAIN OBLI-  
9 GATIONS OF THE SECRETARY.—Nothing in this section  
10 modifies the obligations of the Secretary under section  
11 1106 of the National Parks and Recreation Act of 1978  
12 (16 U.S.C. 460m–20).

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