

115TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 6546

To amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to make technical corrections to the segment designations for the Chetco River, Oregon.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 26, 2018

Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Mr. HUFFMAN, Ms. BONAMICI, and Mr. BLUMENAUER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on 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 “Chetco River Protec-  
5 tion Act of 2018”.

6 **SEC. 2. TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE WILD AND SCE-**  
7 **NIC RIVERS ACT.**

8 Section 3(a)(69) of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act  
9 (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)(69)) is amended—

1 (1) by inserting before “The 44.5-mile” the fol-  
2 lowing:

3 “(A) DESIGNATIONS.—”;

4 (2) by redesignating subparagraphs (A), (B),  
5 and (C) as clauses (i), (ii), and (iii), respectively;

6 (3) in clause (i), as redesignated—

7 (A) by striking “25.5-mile” and inserting  
8 “27.5-mile”; and

9 (B) by striking “Boulder Creek at the  
10 Kalmiopsis Wilderness boundary” and inserting  
11 “Mislatah Creek”;

12 (4) in clause (ii), as redesignated—

13 (A) by striking “8” and inserting “7.5”;

14 (B) by striking “Boulder Creek” and in-  
15 serting “Mislatah Creek”; and

16 (C) by striking “Steel Bridge” and insert-  
17 ing “Eagle Creek”;

18 (5) in clause (iii), as redesignated—

19 (A) by striking “11” and inserting “9.5”;

20 and

21 (B) by striking “Steel Bridge” and insert-  
22 ing “Eagle Creek”; and

23 (6) by adding at the end the following:

24 “(B) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid ex-  
25 isting rights, the Federal land within the

1 boundaries of the river segments designated by  
2 subparagraph (A), is withdrawn from all forms  
3 of—

4 “(i) entry, appropriation, or disposal  
5 under the public land laws;

6 “(ii) location, entry, and patent under  
7 the mining laws; and

8 “(iii) disposition under all laws per-  
9 taining to mineral leasing, geothermal leas-  
10 ing, or mineral materials.”.

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