

# Calendar No. 607

114TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 3027

[Report No. 114-334]

To clarify the boundary of Acadia National Park, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 7, 2016

Mr. KING (for himself and Ms. COLLINS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

SEPTEMBER 6, 2016

Reported by Ms. MURKOWSKI, with an amendment

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

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# A BILL

To clarify the boundary of Acadia National Park, and for other purposes.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Acadia National Park  
5       Boundary Clarification Act”.

1   **SEC. 2. ACADIA NATIONAL PARK BOUNDARY.**

2       Section 101 of Public Law 99-420 (16 U.S.C. 341  
3 note; 100 Stat. 955) is amended—

4           (1) in the first sentence, by striking “In order  
5 to” and inserting the following:

6           “(a) In GENERAL.—In order to”;

7           (2) in the second sentence, by striking “The  
8 map” and inserting the following:

9           “(b) AVAILABILITY OF MAP.—The map described in  
10 subsection (a)”, and

11           (3) by adding at the end the following:

12           “(c) SCHOODIE PENINSULA ADDITION.—The bound-  
13 ary of the Park is modified to include approximately 1,441  
14 acres of land and interests in land, as generally depicted  
15 on the map entitled ‘Acadia National Park, Hancock  
16 County, Maine, Schoodie Peninsula Boundary Revision’,  
17 numbered 123/129102, and dated July 15, 2015.”.

18   **SEC. 3. CLARIFICATION OF ACADIA NATIONAL PARK  
19           BOUNDARY AUTHORITY.**

20           (a) In GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior may  
21 only acquire land or interests in land within the boundary  
22 of Acadia National Park in accordance with section 102  
23 of Public Law 99-420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100 Stat.  
24 955).

25           (b) LAND OUTSIDE BOUNDARY OF THE PARK.—No  
26 land or interest in land located outside of the boundary

1 of Acadia National Park may be acquired except as pro-  
2 vided in Public Law 99-420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100  
3 Stat. 955).

4       (e) CLARIFICATION ON APPLICABILITY OF CERTAIN  
5 LAWS.—The Secretary of the Interior may not use any  
6 authority under section 3 of the Act of February 26, 1919  
7 (40 Stat. 1179, chapter 45), or the Act of January 19,  
8 1929 (45 Stat. 1083, chapter 77), to acquire land or inter-  
9 ests in land for addition to Acadia National Park.

10 **SEC. 4. ACADIA NATIONAL PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION.**

11       (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior shall  
12 reestablish and appoint members to the Acadia National  
13 Park Advisory Commission in accordance with section 103  
14 of Public Law 99-420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100 Stat.  
15 959).

16       (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 103 of  
17 Public Law 99-420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100 Stat. 959)  
18 is amended by striking subsection (f).

19 **SEC. 5. USE RESTRICTION REMOVED.**

20       The Act of August 1, 1950 (64 Stat. 383, chapter  
21 511), is amended—

22           (1) by striking “That the Secretary” and in-  
23 serting the following:

1   **“SECTION 1. CONVEYANCE OF LAND IN ACADIA NATIONAL**  
 2                   **PARK.**

3       “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary”; and

4                   (2) by adding at the end the following:

5       “(b) USE OF LAND.—The land conveyed to the town  
 6 of Tremont, Maine, under this Act known as ‘NPS Tract  
 7 06-126’, which was conveyed by the National Park Service  
 8 in the deed recorded at the Hancock County Registry of  
 9 Deeds Book 737, Page 467, National Park Service deed  
 10 377, shall no longer be required to be used exclusively and  
 11 perpetually for school purposes if the land is being used  
 12 for public purposes.”.

13   **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

14       *This Act may be cited as the “Acadia National Park  
 15 Schoodic Peninsula Land Ratification and Approval Act”.*

16   **SEC. 2. ACADIA NATIONAL PARK BOUNDARY.**

17       *Section 101 of Public Law 99-420 (16 U.S.C. 341  
 18 note; 100 Stat. 955) is amended—*

19                   (1) in the first sentence, by striking “In order  
 20 to” and inserting the following:

21       “(a) BOUNDARIES.—*In order to*”;

22                   (2) in the second sentence, by striking “The  
 23 map” and all that follows through “made” and in-  
 24 serting the following:

25       “(c) AVAILABILITY OF MAPS.—*The maps described in  
 26 subsections (a) and (b) shall be*—

1           “(1) on file and available for public inspection  
2       in the appropriate offices of the National Park Serv-  
3       ice; and

4           “(2) made”; and

5           (3) by inserting after subsection (a) (as so des-  
6       ignated) the following:

7           “(b) *SCHOODIC PENINSULA ADDITION.*—The boundary  
8       of the Park is confirmed to include approximately 1,441  
9       acres of land and interests in land, as depicted on the map  
10      entitled ‘Acadia National Park, Hancock County, Maine,  
11      Schoodic Peninsula Boundary Revision’, numbered 123/  
12      129102, and dated July 10, 2015.”.

13   **SEC. 3. ACADIA NATIONAL PARK BOUNDARY AUTHORITY.**

14           (a) *REQUIREMENT.*—The Secretary of the Interior  
15       may only acquire land or interests in land within the  
16       boundary of Acadia National Park in accordance with Pub-  
17       lic Law 99–420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100 Stat. 955).

18           (b) *REPEALS.*—The following provisions are repealed:

19           (1) Section 3 of the Act of February 26, 1919 (40  
20       Stat. 1179, chapter 45).

21           (2) The first section of the Act of January 19,  
22       1929 (45 Stat. 1083, chapter 77).

23   **SEC. 4. ACADIA NATIONAL PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION.**

24           (a) *IN GENERAL.*—The Secretary of the Interior shall  
25       reestablish and appoint members to the Acadia National

1 *Park Advisory Commission in accordance with section 103*  
2 *of Public Law 99–420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100 Stat. 959).*

3       (b) *CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 103 of Public*  
4 *Law 99–420 (16 U.S.C. 341 note; 100 Stat. 959) is amend-*  
5 *ed by striking subsection (f).*

6 **SEC. 5. USE RESTRICTION MODIFIED.**

7       *The Act of August 1, 1950 (64 Stat. 383, chapter 511),*  
8 *is amended—*

9           (1) *by striking “That the Secretary” and insert-*  
10 *ing the following:*

11 **“SECTION 1. CONVEYANCE OF LAND IN ACADIA NATIONAL**  
12 **PARK.**

13       *“The Secretary”; and*

14           (2) *by striking “for school purposes” and insert-*  
15 *ing “for public purposes, subject to the conditions that*  
16 *use of the property shall not degrade or adversely im-*  
17 *pact the resources or values of Acadia National Park,*  
18 *and the land shall remain in public ownership for*  
19 *recreational, educational, or similar public purposes”.*



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