

116TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 849

To provide for the inclusion on the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Wall of the names of the lost crew members of the U.S.S. Frank E. Evans killed on June 3, 1969.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 14, 2019

Mr. CRAMER (for himself and Mrs. GILLIBRAND) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “U.S.S. Frank E. Evans
5 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. INCLUSION ON THE VIETNAM VETERANS MEMO-**
2 **RIAL WALL OF THE NAMES OF THE LOST**
3 **CREW MEMBERS OF THE U.S.S. FRANK E.**
4 **EVANS KILLED ON JUNE 3, 1969.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the
6 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense
7 shall authorize the inclusion on the Vietnam Veterans Me-
8 morial Wall in the District of Columbia of the names of
9 the 74 crew members of the U.S.S. Frank E. Evans killed
10 on June 3, 1969.

11 (b) REQUIRED CONSULTATION.—The Secretary of
12 Defense shall consult with the Secretary of the Interior,
13 the American Battlefield Monuments Commission, and
14 other applicable authorities with respect to any adjust-
15 ments to the nomenclature and placement of names pursu-
16 ant to subsection (a) to address any space limitations on
17 the placement of additional names on the Vietnam Vet-
18 erans Memorial Wall.

19 (c) NONAPPLICABILITY OF COMMEMORATIVE WORKS
20 ACT.—Chapter 89 of title 40, United States Code (com-
21 monly known as the “Commemorative Works Act”), shall
22 not apply to any activities carried out under subsection
23 (a) or (b).

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