

OBJECTIONABLE PROVISIONS IN INTERIOR CONFERENCE REPORT FOR FY'2000

BILL LANGUAGE

TITLE I--DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES

- An earmark of \$2,500,000, to remain available until expended, is for coalbed methane Applications for Permits to Drill in the Powder River Basin.
- Increase of \$57,500 to reimburse Trinity County for expenses incurred as part of the July 2, 1999 Lowden fire.

UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

- An earmark of \$2,000,000 shall be provided to local governments in southern California for planning associated with the Natural Communities Conservation Planning (NCCP) program.

CONSTRUCTION

- Language which provides for a single procurement for the construction of facilities at the Alaska Maritime National Wildlife Refuge may be issued which includes the full scope of the project.

COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY CAPACITY REDUCTION

- An earmark of \$5,000,000, to remain available until expended, and to be provided in the form of a grant directly to the State of Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife.

NATIONAL RECREATION AND PRESERVATION

- An earmark of \$866,000 shall be available until expended for the Oklahoma City National Memorial Trust.

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

CONSTRUCTION

- An earmark of \$885,000 shall be for realignment of the Denali National Park entrance road.
- An earmark of \$3,000,000 for the Wheeling National Heritage Area.
- An earmark of \$3,000,000 for the Lincoln Library.
- An earmark of \$3,000,000 for the Southwest Pennsylvania Heritage Area.

- An earmark of \$1,850,000, of the total cost of upgrading the Mariposa County, California municipal solid waste disposal system.

LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND

- An earmark of \$10,000,000 may be for State grants for land acquisition in the State of Florida.

- An earmark of \$2,000,000 shall be made available by the National Park Service, pursuant to a grant agreement to the state of Wisconsin so that the state may acquire land or interest in land for the Ice Age National Scenic Trail.

- An earmark of \$500,000 shall be made available by the National Park Service, pursuant to a grant agreement, to the State of Wisconsin so that the State may acquire land or interest in land for the North Country National Scenic Trail.

ABANDONED MINE RECLAMATION FUND

- Language which states that the state of Maryland may set aside the greater of \$1,000,000 or 10 percent of the total of the grants made available to the state under Title IV of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977, as amended.

GENERAL PROVISIONS, DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

- Language which states that the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and in consultation with the Director of the National Park Service, shall undertake the necessary activities to designate Midway Atoll as a National Memorial to the Battle of Midway.

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

- Language which authorized redistribution of Tribal Priority Allocations.

- Language which states that none of the Funds provided in this Act shall be available to the Bureau of Indian Affairs or the Department of the Interior to transfer land into trust status for the Shoalwater Bay Indian Tribe in Clark County, Washington.

- Language which states that none of the funds provided in this Act may be used by the Department of the Interior to implement the provisions of Principle 3(C)ii and Appendix section 3(B)(4) in Secretarial Order 3206, entitled "American Indian Tribal Rights, Federal-Tribal Trust Responsibilities, and the Endangered Species Act".

- An earmark of \$2,000,000 in the form of a grant to the Fairbanks North Star Borough for acquisition of undeveloped parcels along the banks of the Chena River.

- Language which states that the Secretary shall further provide from the funds appropriated in title V up to \$1,000,000 in the form of a grant to the Municipality of Anchorage for the acquisition of approximately 34 acres of wetlands adjacent to a municipal park in Anchorage (the Jewel Lake Wetlands).

- Language which provides funding for the Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge and Certain Projects in the State of Ohio. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, from the unobligated balances appropriated for a grant to the State of Ohio for the acquisition of the Howard Farm near Metzger Marsh, Ohio;

(1) An earmark of \$500,000 shall be derived by transfer and made available for the acquisition of land in the Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge.

(2) An earmark of \$302,000 shall be derived by transfer and made available for the Dayton Aviation Heritage Commission, Ohio.

(3) An earmark of \$198,000 shall be derived by transfer and made available for a grant to the State of Ohio for the preservation and restoration of the birthplace, boyhood home, and schoolhouse of Ulysses S. Grant.

- Language which directs the Interior Secretary to convey certain lands to City of Mesquite, NV.

- Language which directs DOI to convey certain lands in Nye County, NV.

- Language which authorizes a land acquisition for Haines Borough, AK.

- Language which prohibits use of funds for final rule-making with respect to the valuation of crude oil for royalty purposes.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS, FOREST SERVICE

- Language which states that notwithstanding any other provision of law, 80 percent of the funds appropriated to the Forest Service in the 'National Forest System' and 'Reconstruction and Construction' accounts and planned to be allocated to activities under the 'Jobs in the Woods'

program for projects on National Forest land in the State of Washington may be granted directly to the Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife for accomplishment of planned projects. Funds appropriated to the Forest Service shall be available for payments to counties within the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area.

- Language which states that funds appropriated to the Forest Service shall be available, as determined by the Secretary, for payments to Del Norte County, California.

*- An earmark of \$22,000,000 is hereby appropriated and shall be deposited into the Southeast Alaska Economic Disaster Fund established pursuant to Public Law 104-134, as amended, without further appropriation or fiscal year limitation of which \$10,000,000 shall be distributed in fiscal year 2000, \$7,000,000 shall be distributed in fiscal year 2001, and \$5,000,000 shall be distributed in fiscal year 2002.

(An earmark of \$4,000,000 for the Ketchikan Gateway Borough, \$2,000,000 for the City of Petersburg, \$2,000,000 for the City and Borough of Sitka, and \$2,000,000 for the Metlakatla Indian Community.

*- Language which states that in fiscal year 2001, \$3,000,000 for the Ketchikan Gateway Borough, \$1,000,000 for the City of Petersburg, \$1,500,000 for the City and Borough of Sitka, and \$1,500,000 for the Metlakatla Indian Community.

*- Language which states that in fiscal year 2002, \$3,000,000 for the Ketchikan Gateway Borough, \$500,000 for the City and Borough of Sitka, and \$1,500,000 for the Metlakatla Indian Community.)

- An earmark of \$5,000,000 shall be allocated to the Alaska Region, in addition to the funds appropriated to sell timber in the Alaska Region under this Act, for expenses directly related to preparing sufficient additional timber for sale in the Alaska Region to establish a 3-year timber supply.

* Provisions marked with the asterisk note earmarks which are designated to be "forward funded" for fiscal year 2001 and 2002 appropriations.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS, DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

- Language which states that the Secretary of Energy in cooperation with the Administrator of General Services Administration shall convey to the City of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, for no consideration, the approximately 15.644 acres of land comprising the former site of the National Institute of Petroleum Energy Research (including all improvements on the land) described as follows: All of Block 1, Keeler's Second Addition, all of Block 2, Keeler's Fourth Addition, all of Blocks 9 and 10, Mountain View Addition, all in the City of Bartlesville, Washington County, Oklahoma.

TITLE III-GENERAL PROVISIONS

- Language which states that compliance With Buy American Act: None of the funds made available in this Act may be expended by an entity unless the entity agrees that in expending the funds the entity will comply with sections 2 through 4 of the Act of March 3, 1933 (41 U.S.C. 10a-10c; popularly known as the `Buy American Act').

- Language which states that prohibition of Contracts With Persons Falsely Labeling Products as Made in America.

- Language which states that none of the funds made available by this Act may be obligated or expended by the National Park Service to enter into or implement a concession contract which permits or requires the removal of the underground lunchroom at the Carlsbad Caverns National Park.

- Language which states that none of the funds made available in this Act may be used: (1) to demolish the bridge between Jersey City, New Jersey, and Ellis Island.

- Language which prevents funding to be expended to accept or process applications for a patent for any mining or mill site claim located under the general mining laws, with certain exceptions.

- Language which states that notwithstanding any other provision of law, for fiscal year 2000 the Secretaries of Agriculture and the Interior are authorized to limit competition for watershed restoration project contracts as part of the `Jobs in the Woods' component of the President's Forest Plan for the Pacific Northwest or the Jobs in the Woods Program established in Region 10 of the Forest Service to individuals and entities in historically timber-dependent areas in the States of Washington, Oregon, northern California and Alaska that have been affected by reduced timber harvesting on Federal lands.

- Language which exempts forests within the Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Study area, and the White Mountain National Forest from a prohibition of funds until new revisions of national forest management plans are published in the Federal Register.

- Language which continues a program by which Alaska's surplus western red cedar is made available preferentially to U.S. domestic mills outside Alaska, prior to export abroad.

- Language which states that none of the funds made available in this Act may be used to establish a national wildlife refuge in the Kankakee River watershed in northwestern Indiana and northeastern Illinois.

- Language which states that none of the funds made available by the Snoqualmie National Forest Boundary Adjustment Act of 1999 may be used for the physical relocation of grizzly bears into the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness of Idaho and Montana.

-Language which prohibits funds to be used by Sec. of Interior to issue a prospecting permit for hardrock mineral exploration on Mark Twain National Forest land in the Current River/Jack's Fork River.

- Language which continues moratorium on hard rock mining regulations until FY 2001 while National Academy of Science provides a detailed plan for implementation.

- Language which adds the "Mississippi National Improvement Act of 1999".

- Language which designates \$68,000,000 emergency funding for the United Mine Workers of America combined benefit fund.

REPORT LANGUAGE

TITLE I--DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT OF LANDS AND RESOURCES

- Increases of \$750,000 for Idaho weed control, \$50,000 for Rio Puerco, \$1,000,000 for the Colorado plateau ecosystem study, \$900,000 for salmon restoration on the Yukon River and Caribou-Poker Creek, \$400,000 for the National Petroleum Reserve-Alaska, \$4,400,000 for Alaska Conveyance, \$300,000 for the Utah wilderness study, \$350,000 for the Montana mapping project.

- An earmark of \$750,000 for the Couer d'Alene Basin Commission for mining related cleanup activities with the clear understanding that funding will be provided only on a one-time basis.

- Language which states that the managers have maintained the funding level for Kane and Garfield counties at the fiscal year 1999 level of \$250,000.

CONSTRUCTION

- Increases of \$50,000 for the La Puebla pit tank, \$250,000 for the California Trail Interpretive Center.

UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

- Increases of \$100,000 for the Broughton Ranch demonstration project and \$300,000 for a coldwater fish HCP in Montana.
- Increases of \$3,857,000 for Washington salmon recovery.
- Increases of \$200,000 for a Weber Dam study.
- Increases of \$250,000 for Hawaii ESA community conservation and \$150,000 for Nevada biodiversity.
- Increases of \$200,000 for Spartina grass research at the University of Washington.
- Increases of \$250,000 specifically for Hawaii ecosystems.
- Increases of \$200,000 for White Sulphur Springs NFH.
- Increases of \$3,600,000 for Washington State Hatchery Improvement.
- Increases of \$200,000 for Yukon River fisheries management studies, \$100,000 for Yukon River Salmon Treaty public education programs, \$110,000 for Caribou-Poker Creek salmon passage assistance, \$1,018,000 for fish passage improvements in Maine, \$600,000 for a prototype machine to mark hatchery reared salmon at the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, \$400,000 for Great Lakes fish and wildlife restoration, and \$368,000 for a fisheries resource project in cooperation with the Juniata Valley School District in Alexandria, PA.
- Increases of \$200,000 for the National Conservation Training Center, WV.
- An earmark of \$600,000 to assist with the Tongass Land Management Plan, AK.
- An earmark of \$171,500 is to be provided directly to the Hood Canal Salmon Enhancement Group.
- Language which states that the managers are concerned about the continuing unmet maintenance needs at Ohio River Islands National Wildlife Refuge that have not been addressed adequately in Service budget requests and direct the Service to ensure that: (1) the Refuge's maintenance requirements are fully included by Region 9 in the Maintenance Management System and (2) future budget requests include sufficient funding for the Ohio River Islands National Wildlife Refuge to cover adequately its growing maintenance needs.
- Language which states that the Service should set aside \$500,000 for the Blackwater NWR, MD nutria eradication program.
- Language which states that the managers are aware that the Fish and Wildlife Service designated critical habitat for the cactus ferruginous pygmy-owl on July 12, 1999, and are concerned with the impact this designation will have on activities in southern Arizona. The managers expect the Service to devote the necessary resources to respond

adequately and efficiently to the needs of the people who are affected by this new rule and to conduct appropriate scientific studies.

- An earmark of \$100,000 provided in the ESA consultation account for the Broughton Ranch should be provided as a grant to the Washington Agriculture and Forestry Education Foundation.

- An earmark of \$3,857,000 in the recovery program for a competitively awarded matching grant program in Washington State for the conservation and restoration of Pacific salmon.

- An earmark of \$451,000 is for the River CPR Puget Sound Drain Guard Campaign. The managers also expect the Foundation to work with the affected local community in the Methow Valley in Okanogan County, Washington, on salmon enhancement projects. The Foundation should give priority in awarding funds to cooperative projects in rural communities throughout the State.

- Language which states that the managers have reprogrammed the \$8,000,000 allocated in fiscal year 1999 for the acquisition of Palmyra Atoll.

- Language which states that the managers expect that these funds will be given as a grant to the State of Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife and will be used to reimburse commercial fishermen for forfeiting their commercial fishing licenses for Fraser River Sockeye.

- Increases of \$200,000 for cooperative agreements on the Lamprey Wild and Scenic River.

- Language which strongly encourage the National Park Service and the Virginia Department of Transportation to finalize plans to allow for construction to begin by March, 2000.

- Language which directs the C&O Canal National Historical Park, MD to proceed promptly with a revision of its land protection plan.

- Language which states that not less than \$500,000 is for maintenance activities at Isle Royale National Park to address infrastructure and visitor facility deterioration.

- Language which directs the National Park Service to prepare a General Management Plan for the Lower East Side Tenement National Historic Site by November 2000 pursuant to section 104(c) of Public Law 105-378.

- Language which states that consideration should be given to the following projects: Mt. Independence NHL trail work, the Back to the River initiative, NE, and the Harlan County coal heritage project, KY.

- Increases of \$1, 636,000 above budget request for the heritage partnership program for various locale specific projects.

- Additional \$6,263,000 for various locale-specific projects for statutory or contractual aid.

CONSTRUCTION

Increase of \$1,340,000 above budget request for various locale specific projects.

New projects not included in Senate/House bills added are as follows:

Historic Preservation Training CTR., MD.

Home Of FDR NHS, NY.

Lincoln Library, IL.

PLANNING

Increase of \$5,745,000 above budget request for various locale specific projects/

New projects not included in Senate/House bill added are as follows:

National Constitution Center.

Shiloh NMP (CORINTH VISITOR CENTER).

Washita Battlefield NHS.

Yosemite NP.

- Language which includes language that provides one-year authorization of funding for the Lincoln Library and the Southwest Pennsylvania Heritage Area.

- Language which urges the National Park Service to acquire title to the Elwha and Glines Canyon Dams by February 29, 2000, subject to agreement between the owners and the National Park Service on the details of the transfer.

LAND ACQUISITION AND STATE ASSISTANCE

- An additional \$1,600,000 for the Gettysburg National Military Park in Pennsylvania.

UNITED STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

SURVEYS, INVESTIGATIONS, AND RESEARCH

- Increases of \$250,000 for the Hawaiian volcano program, \$500,000 for the Great Lakes mapping coalition project, \$100,000 for the endocrine disrupter study in the Las Vegas Wash, \$500,000 for a monitoring well in Hawaii, \$200,000 for a hydrologic study of Noyes Slough, \$140,000 for the Southern Maryland ground water study, \$180,000 for a Yukon River salmon study, \$250,000 (for a total of \$500,000) for repairs to the Leetown science center, and \$500,000 for the Great Lakes boat restoration.

- Language which strongly recommends that the Survey give priority consideration to the installation of water gages on the Alabama, Coosa, Tallapoosa, Apalachicola, Chattahoochee and Flint Rivers.

- The managers agree that a total of \$1,250,000 is designated for continuation of the joint Survey-Sea Grant Consortium South Carolina/Georgia Coastal Erosion Study as outlined in the Phase II Study Plan, of which \$250,000 is provided for the South Carolina coastal erosion monitoring program. Further, the managers expect the Survey to continue its other high priority coastal and marine research programs, such as major studies of the Louisiana barrier islands, wetlands, hypoxia, and Lake Ponchartrain with the remaining available funds.

MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE

ROYALTY AND OFFSHORE MINERALS MANAGEMENT

- An earmark of \$1,400,000 to the Offshore Technology Resource Center at Texas A&M University for high-priority offshore research associated with deepwater development.

- An earmark of \$300,000 for the western Pennsylvania water quality demonstration project.

- An earmark of \$8,000,000 for the Appalachian clean streams initiative as proposed by the House.

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OPERATION OF INDIAN PROGRAMS

- An earmark of \$250,000 for the Crownpoint Institute of Technology.

- An earmark of \$592,000 for the Gila River Farms project with the understanding that the funding completes this multi-year agriculture project.

INDIAN LAND AND WATER CLAIM SETTLEMENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS PAYMENTS TO INDIANS

- Increases of \$1,000,000 for Aleutian Pribilof church repairs, \$230,000 for the Truckee River, and \$125,000 for the Walker River Paiute Tribe.

NATURAL RESOURCE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT AND RESTORATION

NATURAL RESOURCE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FUND

- Language which makes permanent the exemption from certain taxes and special assessments for properties at Fort Baker, Golden Gate National Recreation Area.

- Language which provides authority for the Bureau of Land Management to provide land acquisition grants to two local governments in Alaska.

- Language which redirects \$1,000,000 from fiscal year 1999 appropriated funds for acquisition of the Howard Farm near Metzger Marsh, Ohio.

- Language which retains the text of section 138 as proposed by the Senate prohibiting the implementation of sound thresholds at Grand Canyon National Park until 90 days after the National Park Service has provided a report detailing the scientific basis for such thresholds.

- Language regarding funds appropriated in fiscal year 1998 for land acquisition in Haines Borough, Alaska.

- Language which states that land and other reimbursement the Secretary may receive in the conveyance of the Twin Cities Research Center must be used for the benefit of the National Wildlife Refuge System in Minnesota

TITLE II-RELATED AGENCIES

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

FOREST SERVICE

- Increase of funding for Sitka, AK, forest center and a \$300,000 increase above the fiscal year 1999 level for the Purdue University hardwood center.

- Language which states that projects at West Virginia, Vermont, and the Forest Products lab should be funded at the fiscal year 1999 level as should the Coweeta and Bent Creek projects as proposed by the House. The managers also agree that funding for the forest science laboratory in Juneau, AK, should be maintained at the fiscal year 1999 level.

STATE AND PRIVATE FORESTRY

- Language which directs the Forest Service to improve the control or eradication of the pine

beetles in the Rocky Mountain region of the United States; to conduct a study of the causes and effects of, and solutions for, the infestation of pine beetles in the Rocky Mountain region of the United States.

- An earmark of \$250,000 for wildfire training and equipment in Kentucky and \$2,000,000 for hazardous tree removal resulting from spruce bark beetle infestations in the Kenai Peninsula Borough, AK. The managers agree to a direct lump sum payment to the Kenai Peninsula Borough and other direction concerning this funding.

- Language which states that the House-proposed funding for the New York City watershed and the NE Pennsylvania community forestry program and the Senate proposed funding for the Chesapeake Bay program.

- An earmark of \$1,500,000 is directed for the Jefferson and Randolph, NH, project.

- Language which includes the House-proposed increase for the NE Pennsylvania forestry program and \$500,000 for the Senate-proposed Salt Lake City Olympic tree program.

- An earmark of \$500,000 for NY City watershed.

- An earmark of \$1,000,000 for Lake Tahoe erosion control grants.
- An earmark of \$275,000 for Hood River beach facilities OR.
- An earmark of \$1,169,000 for the Dalles riverfront trail OR.
- An earmark of \$280,000 for Columbia River Gorge county payment .
- An earmark of \$100,000 for Hawaii forestry workers training.
- An earmark of \$975,000 for Princeton WV hardwood center increase.
- An earmark of \$500,000 for Four Corners sustainable forestry initiative increase.
- An earmark of \$515,000 for Skamania County Drano Lake project WA.
- An earmark of \$300,000 for UW landscape ecology (moved from research) .
- An earmark of \$500,000 for Nordic Ski Center rehab, Chugach NF, AK .
- An earmark of \$600,000 for Forks WA training center.
- An earmark of \$900,000 for UW and WSU technology transfer extension.
- An earmark of \$8,000,000 for Pacific Northwest Assistance program total.
- Language which states concurrence on lump sum payments with respect to the Forks, WA, Training Center.
- Increase of \$500,000 for recreation management for the Monongahela National Forest, WV.
- An earmark of \$300,000 for noxious weed control on the Okanogan NF, WA.
- An earmark of \$2,000,000 for timber sales management for the aspen program in Colorado.
- An earmark of \$240,000 for pinelands work on the Mark Twain NF, MO.
- An earmark of \$500,000 for spruce budworm work on the Gifford Pinchot NF, WA,.
- An earmark of \$300,000 for the CROP project on the Colville NF, WA.
- An earmark of \$300,000 for Cradle of Forestry, NC, environmental education.
- An earmark of \$1,000,000 for the Blue Ridge project on the Apache-Sitgreaves NF.
- Language that encourages the Forest Service to consider enhancing the ecosystem restoration program, including the use of partnerships, in Region 3.

- An earmark of \$1,000,000 for the Wayne NF, OH, acid mine drainage work.
- An earmark of \$750,000 for Lake Tahoe basin watershed improvements.
- An earmark of \$750,000 for the Weyerhaeuser-Huckleberry land exchange supplemental environmental impact statement in Washington state.
- Language which provides funding to maintain the drug law enforcement effort in Kentucky at the 1999 level. Language which encourages the Forest Service to cooperate with the City of Fredonia, AZ, on standards for facilities for the North Kaibab ranger station and to consider entering into an agreement with the city to occupy the facilities upon completion.
- An earmark of \$7,000,000 for the operation of Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area; this includes \$5,400,000 in the national forest system appropriation, \$1,300,000 in the reconstruction and maintenance appropriation and \$300,000 in the wildland fire management appropriation account.
- Language which encourages the Secretary of Agriculture to make repair of the Long Park Dam in Daggett County, Utah a priority within the Department of Agriculture's appropriation funding.
- Language which states concurrence concerning acquisition of a high band radio system for the Monongahela NF, WV.
- An earmark of \$500,000 is designated for hazardous tree removal on the Chugach National Forest, AK.

RECONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE

- An additional \$103,927,000 for various locale-specific projects.

(Including: \$100,000 for Noe's Dock boat ramp and \$325,000 for the Rockcastle project on the Daniel Boone NF, KY. Language which directs that the \$300,000 in the budget request originally designated for the Region 9 office move shall be used for the heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems at the Forest Products Lab, WI.)

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS, FOREST SERVICE

- An earmark of \$5,000,000 be allocated to the Alaska Region from fiscal year 1999 unobligated balances.

FOSSIL ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

- Increase of \$3,500,000 for diesel biodesulfurization in Alaska.

The managers urge the Department to evaluate the Powder River Basin proposal and to consider providing technical assistance or other funding support to the extent the project represents a significant advance in coal dewatering technology.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE

- An earmark of \$4,000,000 provided for the Alaska telemedicine project is for the Alaska Federal Health Care Access Network.
- Increase of \$100,000 for the Portland, OR epidemiology center.

INDIAN HEALTH FACILITIES

- Language is included permitting the purchase of up to 5 acres to expand the parking facilities at the IHS hospital in Tahlequah, OK.
- Language which states that within the funds provided for maintenance and improvement, \$1,000,000 is to be used for environmental remediation at Talihina, OK.
- Language which prohibits the establishment of a national wildlife refuge in the Kankakee watershed in northwestern Indiana and northeastern Illinois.
- Language which extends the authorization for the Forest Service to provide funds to Auburn University, AL, for construction of a non-federal building.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

- An additional \$2,756,000 for Alaska Conveyance.

TOTAL EARMARKS: \$356,698,000