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To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to pursue and complete actions related to the implementation of a U.S. District Court Consent Decree.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JUNE <u>20</u>, 2003

Senator Wyden introduced the following bill (for himself and Mr. Smith), which was read twice and referred to the Committee on

A BILL

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of Reclamation, to participate in the implementation of a U.S. District Court Consent Decree, and for other purposes.

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

SEC. 1. AUTHORIZATION TO PARTICIPATE IN IMPLEMENTATION OF

CONSENT DECREE. The Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Bureau of

Reclamation, and the Secretary of Commerce, acting through National Oceanic and

Atmospheric Administration Fisheries, are hereafter authorized to implement, and enter

into financial assistance or other agreements as may be necessary to undertake activities

identified for Federal implementation (including construction) in accordance with U.S.

District Court Consent Decree "United States, et al., v. Grants Pass Irrigation District,

Civil No. 98-3034-HO" (August 27, 2001).

SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.