

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 3147

To authorize the establishment, on land of the Department of the Interior in the District of Columbia or its environs, of a memorial and gardens in honor and commemoration of Frederick Douglass.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 2 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 22), 2000

Mr. ROBB (for himself, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. WARNER, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. DEWINE, and Mr. JEFFORDS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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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. MEMORIAL AND GARDENS TO HONOR AND**
4 **COMMEMORATE FREDERICK DOUGLASS.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Frederick Douglass Gardens,
6 Inc., a nonprofit corporation, may establish a memorial
7 and gardens on land under the administrative jurisdiction

1 of the Secretary of the Interior in the District of Columbia
2 (or its environs), in honor and commemoration of Fred-
3 erick Douglass.

4 (b) COMPLIANCE WITH STANDARDS FOR COMMEMO-
5 RATIVE WORKS.—The establishment of the Frederick
6 Douglass memorial and gardens shall be in accordance
7 with the Commemorative Works Act (40 U.S.C. 1001 et
8 seq.).

9 (c) PAYMENT OF EXPENSES.—

10 (1) IN GENERAL.—Frederick Douglass Gar-
11 dens, Inc., shall be solely responsible for acceptance
12 of contributions for, and payment of the expenses of,
13 the establishment of the memorial and gardens.

14 (2) NO USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS.—No Federal
15 funds may be used to pay any expense of the estab-
16 lishment of the memorial and gardens.

17 (d) DEPOSIT OF EXCESS FUNDS.—If there remains
18 a balance of funds received for the establishment of the
19 memorial and gardens—

20 (1) after payment of all expenses of the estab-
21 lishment of the memorial and gardens (including the
22 maintenance and preservation amount required
23 under section 8(b) of the Commemorative Works Act
24 (40 U.S.C. 1008(b))); or

1 (2) on expiration of the authority for the memo-
2 rial and gardens under section 10(b) of that Act (40
3 U.S.C. 1010(b));
4 Frederick Douglass Gardens, Inc., shall transmit the re-
5 maining funds to the Secretary of the Treasury for deposit
6 in the account provided for in section 8(b)(1) of that Act
7 (40 U.S.C. 1008(b)(1)).

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