

110TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2909

To amend the National Trails System Act to provide for the study of the
Western States Trail.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 24, 2008

Mrs. BOXER (for herself and Mrs. FEINSTEIN) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Nat-
ural Resources

A BILL

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the study of the Western States Trail.

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 “Western States Trail
5 Study Act of 2008”.

6 **SEC. 2. WESTERN STATES TRAIL STUDY.**

7 Section 5(c) of the National Trails System Act (16
8 U.S.C. 1244(c)) is amended—

9 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (42) and (41)
10 as paragraphs (41) and (42), respectively; and

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

2 “(44) WESTERN STATES TRAIL.—The Western
3 States Trail, a trail of approximately 100 miles from
4 Squaw Valley to Auburn, California (including the
5 Tevis Cup Loop)—

6 “(A) as displayed on the maps maintained
7 in the office of the American River District
8 Ranger, Tahoe National Forest;

9 “(B) as described in the journal of Pro-
10 fessor William Brewer for August 30, 1863;
11 and

12 “(C) along which are conducted—

13 “(i) the Western States Trail Ride;
14 and

15 “(ii) the Western States Endurance
16 Run.”.

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