

112TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1400

To validate final patent number 27–2005–0081, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 6, 2011

Mr. HELLER (for himself, Ms. BERKLEY, and Mr. HECK) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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## 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. FINAL PATENT AND LAND RECONFIGURATION**

4 **IN CLARK COUNTY AND LINCOLN COUNTY,**

5 **NEVADA.**

6 Patent No. 27–2005–0081 and its associated land re-  
7 configuration issued by the Bureau of Land Management  
8 on February 18, 2005, is hereby affirmed and validated  
9 as having been issued pursuant to and in compliance with  
10 the provisions of the Nevada-Florida Land Exchange Au-  
11 thorization Act of 1988 (Public Law 100–275), the Na-

1 tional Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and the Federal  
2 Land Policy Management Act of 1976 for the benefit of  
3 the desert tortoise and other species and their habitat to  
4 increase the likelihood of their recovery. The process uti-  
5 lized by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and  
6 the Bureau of Land Management in reconfiguring the  
7 lands as shown on Exhibit 1–4 of the Final Environmental  
8 Impact Statement for the Planned Development Project  
9 MSHCP, Lincoln County, NV (FWS–R8–ES–2008–  
10 N0136) and the reconfiguration provided for in Special  
11 Condition 10 of Army Corps of Engineers Permit No.  
12 200125042 are hereby ratified.

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