

112TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 172

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

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 25 (legislative day, JANUARY 5), 2011

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

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## 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 2011”.

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 by adding at the end the fol-  
9 lowing:

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

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

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

11           “(C) along which are conducted—

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

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

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