

Union Calendar No. 419

117TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 6142

[Report No. 117-578]

To amend the National Trails System Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study on the feasibility of designating the Buckeye Trail as a national scenic trail, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 3, 2021

Mr. RYAN of Ohio (for himself and Mr. GONZALEZ of Ohio) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

NOVEMBER 16, 2022

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Buckeye National Sce-
5 nic Trail Feasibility Study Act of 2021”.

6 **SEC. 2. BUCKEYE NATIONAL SCENIC TRAIL FEASIBILITY**
7 **STUDY.**

8 Section 5(c) of the National Trails System Act (16
9 U.S.C. 1244(c)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
10 lowing:

11 “(48) BUCKEYE TRAIL.—The Buckeye Trail, a
12 system of trails creating a loop extending approxi-
13 mately 1,454 miles from Lake Erie to the Ohio
14 River, through the farmland of northwest Ohio, the
15 hills of Appalachia, the Black Hand sandstone cliffs
16 of the Hocking Hills region, and the Bluegrass re-
17 gion of southwest Ohio.”.

Amend the title so as to read: “A bill to amend the
National Trails System Act to authorize a study on the
feasibility of designating the Buckeye Trail as a national
scenic trail, and for other purposes.”.

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