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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Public Works

AN ACT

To provide for removal of the gray wolf in the contiguous
48 States from the List of Endangered and Threatened
Wildlife published under the Endangered Species Act
of 1973.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Manage our Wolves
3 Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. REMOVAL OF FEDERAL PROTECTIONS FOR GRAY**
5 **WOLVES IN WYOMING AND WESTERN GREAT**
6 **LAKES.**

7 (a) GRAY WOLVES IN WYOMING.—The final rule
8 published on September 10, 2012 (77 Fed. Reg. 55530),
9 that was reinstated on March 3, 2017, by the decision of
10 the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia
11 (No. 14–5300) and further republished on May 1, 2017
12 (82 Fed. Reg. 20284), that reinstates the removal of Fed-
13 eral protections for the gray wolf in Wyoming under the
14 Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.),
15 and this subsection, shall not be subject to judicial review.

16 (b) GRAY WOLVES IN WESTERN GREAT LAKES.—
17 Before the end of the 60-day period beginning on the date
18 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of the Interior
19 shall reissue the final rule published on December 28,
20 2011 (76 Fed. Reg. 81666), without regard to any other
21 provision of statute or regulation that applies to issuance
22 of such rule. Such reissuance (including this subsection)
23 shall not be subject to judicial review.

1 **SEC. 3. REMOVAL OF FEDERAL PROTECTIONS FOR GRAY**
2 **WOLVES RANGE-WIDE.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than the end of fiscal
4 year 2019, and except as provided in subsection (b), the
5 Secretary of the Interior shall issue a rule to remove the
6 gray wolf (*Canis lupus*) in each of the 48 contiguous
7 States of the United States and the District of Columbia
8 from the List of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife in
9 section 17.11 of title 50, Code of Federal Regulations,
10 without regard to any other provision of statute or regula-
11 tion that applies to issuance of such rule.

12 (b) LIMITATION ON JUDICIAL REVIEW.—Such
13 issuance (including this section)—

14 (1) shall not be subject to judicial review; and

15 (2) shall not affect the inclusion of the sub-
16 species classified as the Mexican gray wolf (*Canis*
17 *lupus baileyi*) of the species gray wolf (*Canis lupus*)
18 in such list.

Passed the House of Representatives November 16,
2018.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,

Clerk.