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# S. 40

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 4, 1995

Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Mr. KOHL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

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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. KICKAPOO RIVER, WISCONSIN.**

4       (a) PROJECT MODIFICATION.—The project for flood  
5 control and allied purposes, Kickapoo River, Wisconsin,  
6 authorized by section 203 of the Flood Control Act of  
7 1962 (76 Stat. 1190), as modified by section 814 of the

1 Water Resources Development Act of 1986 (100 Stat.  
2 4169), is further modified as provided by this section.

3 (b) TRANSFER OF PROPERTY.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to the requirements  
5 of this subsection, the Secretary shall transfer to the  
6 State of Wisconsin, without consideration, all right,  
7 title, and interest of the United States in and to the  
8 lands described in paragraph (2), including all  
9 works, structures, and other improvements on the  
10 lands.

11 (2) LAND DESCRIPTION.—The lands to be  
12 transferred pursuant to paragraph (1) are the ap-  
13 proximately 8,569 acres of land associated with the  
14 LaFarge Dam and Lake portion of the project re-  
15 ferred to in subsection (a) in Vernon County, Wis-  
16 consin, in the following sections:

17 (A) Section 31, Township 14 North, Range  
18 1 West of the 4th Principal Meridian.

19 (B) Sections 2 through 11, and 16, 17, 20,  
20 and 21, Township 13 North, Range 2 West of  
21 the 4th Principal Meridian.

22 (C) Sections 15, 16, 21 through 24, 26,  
23 27, 31, and 33 through 36, Township 14  
24 North, Range 2 West of the 4th Principal Me-  
25 ridian.

23 (c) COMPLETION OF PROJECT FEATURES.—

(B) Construction of a visitor and education complex to include buildings, parking areas, recreational trails, and canoe facilities substantially in accordance with plans contained in Design Memorandum No. 3, Preliminary Master Plan for Resource Management, Kickapoo River, Wisconsin, dated May 1967, and Design Memorandum No. 7, Master Recreation Plan for Resource Management, LaFarge Lake Kickapoo River, Wisconsin, dated July 1974.

23 (C) Environmental cleanup and site res-  
24 toration of abandoned wells, farm sites, and

1                   safety modifications to the water control struc-  
2                   tures.

3                   (D) Cultural resource activities to meet the  
4                   requirements of Federal law.

5                   (2) **PARTICIPATION BY STATE OF WISCONSIN.**—  
6                   In undertaking the completion of the features identi-  
7                   fied in paragraph (1), the Secretary shall determine  
8                   the requirements of the State of Wisconsin on the  
9                   location and design of each such feature.

10                  (d) **COSTS.**—The cost of the project referred to in  
11                  subsection (a) is modified to authorize the Secretary to  
12                  carry out the project at a total cost of \$17,000,000, with  
13                  a first Federal cost of \$17,000,000.

14                  **SEC. 2. SECRETARY DEFINED.**

15                  As used in this Act, the term “Secretary” means the  
16                  Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of  
17                  Engineers.

