

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4041

To exempt certain forest management activities in Yosemite National Park from requirements of section 102 of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 17, 2025

Mr. McCLINTOCK introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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. CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION FOR CERTAIN FOR-**
4 **EST MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES IN YOSEMITE**
5 **NATIONAL PARK.**

6 (a) CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION ESTABLISHED.—The
7 forest management activities described in subsection (b)
8 are a category of activities hereby designated as being cat-

1 egorically excluded from the preparation of an environ-
2 mental assessment or an environmental impact statement
3 under section 102 of the National Environmental Policy
4 Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4332).

5 (b) FOREST MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES DESIGNATED
6 FOR CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION.—The forest management
7 activities designated under subsection (a) for a categorical
8 exclusion are—

9 (1) the planning, approval, and execution of
10 fuels removal activities, including brush removal ac-
11 tivities, in Yosemite National Park; and

12 (2) the planning, approval, and execution of re-
13 forestation activities in Yosemite National Park.

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