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Memorandum

To: Office of the Solicitor, Washington, D.C.
From: State Director, Nevada
Subject: Legislative History, Wild Free-Roaming Horse and Burro Act of 1971

We have recently attempted to determine the area which can reasonably be considered as 1971 wild horse habitat and the potential status of wild horses on the Nellis Bombing Range near Las Vegas, Nevada. To accomplish this task, we have reviewed our available records relative to the 1971 Wild Horse and Burro Protection Act. Unfortunately, we do not have copies of the Legislative History for this Act and therefore are unable to determine if wild horses or their status on the Nellis Bombing Range was mentioned by Congress when considering the 1971 Act.

We would like to request that your office review the Legislative History for the Wild Horse and Burro Protection Act to determine if wild horses on the Nellis Bombing Range are mentioned. If this is not possible, we would like to request that a copy of the Legislative History be made available to us so that we can research the record.

Thank you for any assistance you can provide.

/s/ Roger J. McCormack

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