

Public Law 96-188  
96th Congress

Joint Resolution

To extend by sixty days the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950.

Jan. 28, 1980  
[H.J. Res. 478]

**Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the first sentence of section 717(a) of the Defense Production Act of 1950 (50 U.S.C. App. 2166(a)) is amended by striking out "January 28, 1980" and inserting in lieu thereof "March 28, 1980".**

Defense  
Production Act  
of 1950,  
amendment.

Approved January 28, 1980.

The State of Idaho, the State of Utah and the State of Wyoming acting through their respective Commissioners after negotiations participated in by a representative of the United States of America approved by the President, have agreed to an Amended Bear River Compact as follows:

Article I

A. The major purpose of this Compact is to remove the cause of present and future controversy over the distribution and use of the waters of the Bear River to provide for efficient use of water for multiple purposes to permit additional development of the water resources of Bear River to provide interstate unity and to accomplish an equitable apportionment of the waters of the Bear River among the contracting States.

B. The physical and all other conditions peculiar to the Bear River constitute the basis for this Compact. No general principle or precedent with respect to any other interstate stream is intended to be established.

Article II

As used in this Compact the term

1. "Bear River" means the Bear River and its tributaries from its source in the Utah Mountains to its mouth in Great Salt Lake;

2. "Bear Lake" means Bear Lake and Mud Lake;

3. "Upper Division" means the portion of Bear River from its source in the Utah Mountains to and including Taylor Flats, a division dam in the County of Sevier in Township 22 North Range 20 West State of Utah; Meridian, Wyoming;

4. "Central Division" means the portion of Bear River from Taylor Flats to and including Stewart Dam a division dam in Section 34 Township 13 North, Range 44 East, T30S and Meridian, Idaho;

5. "Lower Division" means the portion of the Bear River between Stewart Dam and Great Salt Lake, including Bear Lake and its tributary drainage;

6. "Upper Utah Section Divisions" means the sum of all divisions in second feet from the Bear River and the tributaries of the Bear River joining the Bear River upstream from the point where the Bear River crosses the Utah-Wyoming State line above Evanston,

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 126 (1980):  
Jan. 24, considered and passed House and Senate.