

112TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

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To provide for the status of the Northern Rocky Mountain distinct population segment of the gray wolf, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. BAUCUS (for himself and Mr. TESTER) introduced the following bill;
which was read twice and referred to the Committee on

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Delisting Gray Wolves
5 to Restore State Management Act of 2011”.

1 **SEC. 2. STATUS OF NORTHERN ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIS-**
2 **TINCT POPULATION SEGMENT OF THE GRAY**
3 **WOLF.**

4 Notwithstanding any other provision of law (includ-
5 ing regulations), effective beginning on the date of enact-
6 ment of this Act, the final rule, entitled “Endangered and
7 Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Final Rule To Identify
8 the Northern Rocky Mountain Population of Gray Wolf
9 as a Distinct Population Segment and To Revise the List
10 of Endangered and Threatened Wildlife” (74 Fed. Reg.
11 15123 (April 2, 2009)), shall have the full force and effect
12 of law.