

119TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

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To prohibit the implementation of a Land Protection Plan for Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. CRUZ introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “No Federal Expansion  
5 Designation in West Texas Act” or the “No FED in West  
6 Texas Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. IMPLEMENTATION OF LAND PROTECTION PLAN**  
2 **FOR MULESHOE NATIONAL WILDLIFE REF-**  
3 **UGE PROHIBITED.**

4 The Secretary of the Interior may not finalize, imple-  
5 ment, administer, or enforce the Land Protection Plan de-  
6 scribed in the document published by the United States  
7 Fish and Wildlife Service entitled “Final Land Protection  
8 Plan & Environmental Assessment Muleshoe National  
9 Wildlife Refuge” and dated February 2023, or a substan-  
10 tially similar land protection plan.