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H. R. 4161

[Report No. 139.]

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DECEMBER 20, 1923.

Mr. CHRISTOPHERSON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and ordered to be printed.

FEBRUARY 1, 1924.

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

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 That the Commissioner of Indian Affairs is hereby author-
4 ized, in order to carry out the provisions of an Act approved
5 September 21, 1922 (Forty-second Statutes, page 990),
6 entitled "An Act providing for the construction of a spillway
7 and drainage ditch to lower and maintain the level of Lake
8 Andes, South Dakota," to acquire necessary rights of way
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1 judicial process, and not to exceed \$5,000 of the money here-
2 fore appropriated for the construction of this project shall
3 be available for such purpose.