

Udall Amendment Adopted—

Havasupai Prospects Good

On August 14, 1974 the House committee on Interior and Insular Affairs reported S. 1296 as amended by the Committee to grant the Havasupai Tribe trust title to 185,000 acres of its land and to set aside an additional 95,000 acres as a Havasupai "use area".

The first key vote came on July 31, 1974, when the Committee voted by 24 to 11 to adopt the Udall Amendment granting the Tribe trust title.

A recent vote, in effect, reaffirmed this action and clears the

way for action by the Rules Committee.

Once the Rules Committee has acted, it is expected S. 1296 will come to a vote on the floor of the House some time around mid-September. A floor fight is expected.

If the House acts favorably on S. 1296, it must go to the Senate. The Senate may agree to accept the House version or it may call for a House-Senate conference.

If a conference is called, it is possible that the Senate conferees may seek to reduce the

number of acres to which title is conveyed to the Tribe; but, at this time, the Tribe's prospects in the Senate or in a House-Senate conference look good.

VOTED FOR: Morris K. Udall (Ariz.); Robert W. Kastenmeier (Wisc.); Patsey T. Mink (Hawaii); Lloyd Meeds (Wash.); John Melcher (Mont.); Teno Roncalio (Wyo.); Harold L. Runnels (N. Mex.); Yvonne Barthwaite Burke (Calif.); Wayne Owens (Utah); James R. Jones (Okla.); Antonio B. Won Pat (Guam);

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Craig Hosmer (Calif.); Sam Steiger (Ariz.);

Don H. Clausen (Calif.); Philip E. Ruppe (Mich.); John N. "Happy" Camp (Okla.); Ralph S. Regula (Ohio); Alan Steelman (Texas); James G. Martin (N. Car.); William M. Ketchum (Calif.); Paul W. Cronin (Mass.); Don Young (Alaska); Robert E. Bauman (Md.); Steven D. Symms (Idaho)

VOTED AGAINST: Roy A. Taylor (N. Car.); Phillip Burton (Calif.); Thomas S. Foley (Wash.); Abraham Kazen, Jr. (Texas); Joseph P. Vigorito (Pa.); Jonathan B. Bingham (N. Y.); John F. Seiberling (Ohio); Manuel Lujan Jr. (N. Mex.); John Dellenback (Ore.); Keith G. Sebelius (Kansas); Ron de Lugo (V. I.).