



THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON

My dear Mr. Hayden:

I have your inquiry of January 16, 1919, with reference to S. 390, An Act to establish the Grand Canyon National Park in the State of Arizona, and am pleased to state that this measure, as amended by the House Committee on Public Lands on October 18, 1918, meets with my approval and I trust that it will be enacted into law without delay.

In my report of February 5, 1918, on the bill when it was before the Senate for consideration I dwelt at some length on the merits of this legislation, and I am glad to add now that the same arguments which I advanced then hold true in connection with the bill in its amended form.

Sincerely yours,

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Secretary.

Hon. Carl Hayden,  
House of Representatives, U. S.