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# H. R. 7411

Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to accept the conveyance of the United First Parish Church in Quincy, Massachusetts, and authorizing the Secretary to administer the United First Parish Church as a national historic site, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 21, 1980

Mr. DONNELLY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs

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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 That (a) in order to preserve for the benefit, education, and  
4 inspiration of present and future generations the church in  
5 which John Adams, John Quincy Adams, and Abigail Adams  
6 are buried, the Secretary of the Interior (hereinafter in this

1 Act referred to as the "Secretary") is authorized to accept  
2 the conveyance, without monetary consideration, of the fol-  
3 lowing for administration as part of the Adams National His-  
4 toric Site in Quincy, Massachusetts:

5 (1) The property known as the United First  
6 Parish Church, at 1306 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mas-  
7 sachusetts, together with such adjacent real property  
8 as the Secretary considers desirable.

9 (2) The furnishings and personal property located  
10 in the United First Parish Church, after consultation  
11 with the chairman of the board of the United First  
12 Parish Church and with the owners of such furnishings  
13 and personal property.

14 (b) The Secretary shall administer the property acquired  
15 pursuant to subsection (a) of this section as part of the Adams  
16 National Historic Site in accordance with this section and the  
17 provisions of law generally applicable to national historic  
18 sites, including the Act of August 25, 1916 (16 U.S.C. 1 et  
19 seq.) and the Act of August 21, 1935 (16 U.S.C. 461 note).

