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SENATE: Environment

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S1508

[SPONSOR'S STATEMENT](#): (Begins on page 2 of original bill) [Yes](#)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: **[ASSEMBLY:](#)** [Yes](#)

[SENATE:](#) [Yes](#)

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT: No

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: No

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[SPONSOR'S STATEMENT](#): (Begins on page 2 of original bill) [Yes](#)

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Senate, No. 1508

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2 Environmental Protection to officially name the brook adjacent to
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7 *of New Jersey:*

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44 Directs Commissioner of DEP to name brook adjacent to Wildcat
Rock Shelter.

SENATE, No. 1508

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
211th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED APRIL 29, 2004

Sponsored by:

Senator ROBERT E. LITTELL

District 24 (Sussex, Hunterdon and Morris)

Assemblywoman ALISON LITTELL MCHOSE

District 24 (Sussex, Hunterdon and Morris)

SYNOPSIS

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SENATE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 1508

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JANUARY 31, 2005

The Senate Environment Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 1508.

Senate Bill No. 1508 provides that the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection shall officially name the brook adjacent to the Wildcat Rock Shelter the "Chingwe Brook." The bill provides that the Commissioner shall take appropriate action to notify the public and the community of the naming of the brook by erecting appropriate signs bearing that name and posting the name on the State Internet website.

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ASSEMBLY AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 1508

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: MARCH 7, 2005

The Assembly Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 1508.

This bill directs the Commissioner of Environmental Protection to officially name the brook adjacent to the Wildcat Rock Shelter the "Chingwe Brook." The bill also directs the commissioner to take appropriate action to notify the public and the community of the naming of the brook by erecting appropriate signs bearing that name and posting the name on the State's Internet website.

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ASSEMBLY, No. 2796

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INTRODUCED MAY 10, 2004

Sponsored by:

Assemblywoman ALISON LITTELL MCHOSE

District 24 (Sussex, Hunterdon and Morris)

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