

3. Legislation, Organ Pipe

“Public Law 281 – 77th Congress,” October 27, 1941, Folder: Legislation, Organ Pipe, Box 2319, Central Classified Files, 1907-49, RG 79, NARA-MD.

This document is the description of an act set in 1941. It establishes that while mining in Organ Pipe Cactus National Monument, “all mineral deposits of all classes” are to remain a part of the National Monument. The act states that the minerals are patent and should not be removed. Only surface area is to be handled within the monument of Arizona. This act prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior at the time and was approved October 27, 1941.