

STATEMENT BY SEN. STROM THURMOND (D-SC) ON HURRICANE SURVEY,
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WASHINGTON, NOV. 30--Sen. Strom Thurmond (D-SC) revealed today the Army Corps of Engineers has agreed to include the Ocean Drive Beach, Cherry Grove, and Crescent Beach areas in its survey of beach erosion and hurricane damage in South Carolina.

The Engineers have informed Thurmond that it is contemplated that more severely damaged areas such as Myrtle Beach will be studied in great detail. Less seriously damaged areas will initially receive a general appraisal with a view to ascertaining whether studies of a more detailed nature are warranted.

The South Carolina Democrat sponsored the bill which included South Carolina in the Engineer survey of hurricane-damaged coastal areas along the Eastern seaboard.

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