111TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 6053

To amend the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 to provide for timely consideration of claims submitted by States and political subdivisions for reimbursement of removal costs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 30, 2010

Mr. Meek of Florida introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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 SECTION 1. REIMBURSEMENT OF STATES AND POLITICAL
- 4 SUBDIVISIONS FOR REMOVAL COSTS.
- 5 Section 1012(e) of the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (33
- 6 U.S.C. 2712(e)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
- 7 lowing:
- 8 "Regulations issued under this subsection shall ensure
- 9 that a State or political subdivision receives payment for

- 1 eligible removal costs not later than 30 days after the date
- 2 of submission of a claim for such costs.".

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