Amendment to H.R. 1231 Offered by Mr. Markey of Massachusetts and Mr. Holt of New Jersey

Page 3, line 16, before the closing quotation marks insert the following:

"(6) In the 2012–2017 5-year oil and gas leas-1 ing program the Secretary shall provide that no 2 3 lease sale shall be conducted unless, during the 6-4 month period prior to the sale, the industry-wide fa-5 tality rate per person-hour worked in the offshore oil 6 and gas industry of the United States was equal to or less than 50 percent of such rate for the period 7 8 2004 through 2009.

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