

## S 2253

A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to offer the 181 Area of the Gulf of Mexico for oil and gas leasing.

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Energy

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### Sponsor

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**Name:** Sen. Domenici, Pete V. [R-NM]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NM • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (28 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		Feb 7, 2006
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		Feb 7, 2006
Sen. Talent, Jim [R-MO]	R · MO		Feb 7, 2006
Sen. Burns, Conrad R. [R-MT]	R · MT		Feb 8, 2006
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Feb 9, 2006
Sen. Conrad, Kent [D-ND]	D · ND		Feb 9, 2006
Sen. Craig, Larry E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Feb 9, 2006
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Feb 9, 2006
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	R · AL		Feb 9, 2006
Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	R · OH		Feb 9, 2006
Sen. Bond, Christopher S. [R-MO]	R · MO		Feb 10, 2006
Sen. Thomas, Craig [R-WY]	R · WY		Feb 10, 2006
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	R · KY		Feb 13, 2006
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Feb 27, 2006
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	R · UT		Mar 1, 2006
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	R · OK		Mar 1, 2006
Sen. Enzi, Michael B. [R-WY]	R · WY		Mar 2, 2006
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	R · NE		Mar 2, 2006
Sen. Bennett, Robert F. [R-UT]	R · UT		Mar 3, 2006
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	R · OK		Mar 8, 2006
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 8, 2006
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		Mar 8, 2006
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		Mar 8, 2006
Sen. Cornyn, John [R-TX]	R · TX		Mar 13, 2006
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	R · KS		Mar 15, 2006
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	R · IA		Mar 29, 2006
Sen. Nelson, Ben [D-NE]	D · NE		Apr 6, 2006
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	D · WV		Jun 15, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Natural Resources Committee	Senate	Reported By	Apr 20, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Energy

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 4908	Identical bill	<b>Mar 14, 2006:</b> Executive Comment Requested from Interior.
109 S 2384	Related bill	<b>Mar 8, 2006:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary has been expanded because action occurred on the measure.)**

Instructs the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Mineral Management Service, to offer the 181 Area of the Gulf of Mexico for oil and gas leasing within one year after enactment of this Act.

Prohibits the Secretary from offering for oil and gas leasing: (1) any area east of the Military Mission Line, unless the Secretary of Defense agrees in writing before the area is offered for lease that it can be developed in a manner that will not interfere with military activities; or (2) any area within 100 miles of the coastline of Florida.

States that the 181 Area shall be offered for lease even though it is omitted from any outer Continental Shelf leasing program under the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 20, 2006:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reported by Senator Domenici under authority of the order of the Senate of 04/07/2006 without amendment. With written report No. 109-240.
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- **Apr 20, 2006:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 402.
- **Mar 8, 2006:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Feb 16, 2006:** Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 109-381.
- **Feb 7, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 7, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S772)
- **Feb 7, 2006:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (text of measure as introduced: CR S772-773)