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Gulf of the Farallones and Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuaries Boundary Modification and Protection Act

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Committee Activity

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Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 21, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 S 4058	Identical bill	Nov 16, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
109 HR 1712	Related bill	May 18, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H2782-2783)

Gulf of the Farallones and Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuaries Boundary Modification and Protection Act - Declares it is U.S. policy to protect and preserve living and other resources of the Gulf of the Farallones National Marine Sanctuary (Farallones NMS) and Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuary (Cordell Bank NMS) marine environments.

Makes certain adjustments to expand the boundaries of the Farallones NMS and the Cordell NMS.

Prohibits within the Farallones NMS and the Cordell Bank NMS: (1) the leasing, exploration, development, production, or transporting by pipeline of minerals or hydrocarbons; (2) the conduct of aquaculture (with exceptions); and (3) the discharge of materials and substances or a change in the salinity. Prohibits the conduct of aquaculture within Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary.

Directs the Secretary of Commerce to complete an interim supplemental management plan for each sanctuary that focuses on protective resource management in the areas added by this Act.

Requires the Secretary to review the operations of the Farallones NMS to determine whether area added to it by this Act shall be designated as a new and separate NMS.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 9, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1958)
- **Apr 21, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 21, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4128-4129)
- **Apr 21, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.