

## S 3489

A bill to terminate the moratorium on deepwater drilling issued by the Secretary of the Interior.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Energy

**Introduced:** Jun 15, 2010

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (Jun 15, 2010)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/111th-congress/senate-bill/3489>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

| Cosponsor                    | Party / State | Role | Date Joined  |
|------------------------------|---------------|------|--------------|
| Sen. Wicker, Roger F. [R-MS] | R · MS        |      | Jun 15, 2010 |
| Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]  | R · UT        |      | Jun 28, 2010 |

### Committee Activity

| Committee                              | Chamber | Activity    | Date         |
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| Energy and Natural Resources Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Jun 15, 2010 |

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Energy

### Related Bills

| Bill        | Relationship   | Last Action   |
|-------------|----------------|---|
| 111 HR 5525 | Identical bill | Jun 16, 2010: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources. |
| 111 HR 5519 | Related bill   | Jun 15, 2010: Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources. |

### Summary (as of Jun 15, 2010)

Declares without force or effect: (1) the moratorium on deepwater drilling issued by the Secretary of the Interior set forth in the Minerals Management Service Notice to Lessees No. 2010-N04, dated May 30, 2010; and (2) any suspension of deepwater drilling operations issued in connection with such moratorium.

### Actions Timeline

- **Jun 15, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
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