

## HR 2021

Jobs and Energy Permitting Act of 2011

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Environmental Protection

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**Current Status:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 86.

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(Jun 27, 2011)

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### Sponsor

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

## Cosponsors (26 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]	R · TX		May 26, 2011
Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		May 26, 2011
Rep. Griffith, H. Morgan [R-VA-9]	R · VA		May 26, 2011
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-11]	R · IL		May 26, 2011
Rep. McMorris Rodgers, Cathy [R-WA-5]	R · WA		May 26, 2011
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		May 26, 2011
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	R · PA		May 26, 2011
Rep. Pompeo, Mike [R-KS-4]	R · KS		May 26, 2011
Rep. Scalise, Steve [R-LA-1]	R · LA		May 26, 2011
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	R · IL		May 26, 2011
Rep. Terry, Lee [R-NE-2]	R · NE		May 26, 2011
Rep. Barton, Joe [R-TX-6]	R · TX		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Blackburn, Marsha [R-TN-7]	R · TN		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Bono Mack, Mary [R-CA-45]	R · CA		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	R · GA		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Harper, Gregg [R-MS-3]	R · MS		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Latta, Robert E. [R-OH-5]	R · OH		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Luetkemeyer, Blaine [R-MO-9]	R · MO		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Upton, Fred [R-MI-6]	R · MI		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Walden, Greg [R-OR-2]	R · OR		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Whitfield, Ed [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Jun 3, 2011
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Jun 3, 2011

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 3, 2011

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Environmental Protection

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 2365	Related bill	Apr 25, 2012: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.
112 HRES 316	Related bill	Jun 22, 2011: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
112 S 1226	Related bill	Jun 16, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

**(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)**

Jobs and Energy Permitting Act of 2011 - Amends the Clean Air Act to require any air quality impact of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) sources to be measured or modeled and determined solely with respect to the impacts in the corresponding onshore area.

Provides that: (1) emissions from any vessel servicing or associated with an OCS source, including emissions while at the OCS source or in route to or from the OCS source within 25 miles of the OCS source, shall be considered direct emissions from the OCS source (current law) but shall not be subject to any emission control requirement applicable to such source; and (2) an OCS source, for platform or drill ship exploration, is established when drilling commences at a location and ceases to exist when drilling activity ends at such location or is temporarily interrupted because the platform or drill ship relocates.

Requires: (1) final agency action on a permit application for platform or drill ship exploration for an OCS source under such Act to be taken no later than six months after the filing of such application; (2) such final agency action to be considered to be nationally applicable under judicial review; and (3) judicial review of such action to be without additional administrative review or adjudication. Prohibits: (1) the Environmental Appeals Board of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from having any authority to consider any matter regarding the consideration, issuance, or denial of such permit; and (2) extending any administrative stay of the effectiveness of such permit beyond six months after the date of filing of such application.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 27, 2011:** Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 86.
- **Jun 23, 2011:** Received in the Senate. Read the first time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under Read the First Time.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Considered under the provisions of rule H. Res. 316. (consideration: CR H4392-4420)
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2021 and H.R. 1249. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measures will be considered read. Specified amendments are in order. The resolution provides for one hour of general debate for H.R. 2021 and 80 minutes of general debate for H.R. 1249. The resolution also provides that for H.R. 1249, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union pursuant to H. Res. 316 and Rule XVIII.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** The Speaker designated the Honorable Jo Ann Emerson to act as Chairwoman of the Committee.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** GENERAL DEBATE - The Committee of the Whole proceeded with one hour of general debate on H.R. 2021.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Speier amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Speier amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Ms. Speier demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Hastings (FL) amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Hastings (FL) amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Mr. Hastings (FL) demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Welch amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Welch amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Mr. Welch demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Keating (MA) amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Keating amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Mr. Keating demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Rush amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Rush amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Mr. Rush demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Quigley amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of debate on the Quigley amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Mr. Quigley demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** DEBATE - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Eshoo amendment.

**Jun 22, 2011: POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS** - At the conclusion of debate on the Eshoo amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Ms. Eshoo demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.

- **Jun 22, 2011: DEBATE** - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Capps amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011: POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS** - At the conclusion of debate on the Capps amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Ms. Capps demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011: DEBATE** - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Hochul amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011: POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS** - At the conclusion of debate on the Hochul amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced the noes had prevailed. Ms. Hochul demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until a time to be announced.
- **Jun 22, 2011: DEBATE** - Pursuant to the provisions of H.Res. 316, the Committee of the Whole proceeded with 10 minutes of debate on the Schrader amendment.
- **Jun 22, 2011: POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS** - At the conclusion of debate on the Schrader amendment, the Chair put the question on adoption of the amendment and by voice vote, announced that the noes had prevailed. Mr. Schrader demanded a recorded vote and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption of the amendment until later in the legislative.
- **Jun 22, 2011: UNFINISHED BUSINESS** - The Chair announced that the unfinished business was the question on adoption of amendments which had been debated earlier and on which further proceedings had been postponed.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** The House rose from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union to report H.R. 2021.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Mr. Keating moved to recommit with instructions to Energy and Commerce. (consideration: CR H4418-4419; text: CR H4418)
- **Jun 22, 2011: DEBATE** - The House proceeded with ten minutes of debate on the motion to recommit with instructions. The instructions contained in the motion seek to report the same to the House with an amendment to require the EPA Administrator to determine whether pollution control technology used to address emissions from OCS sources lowers retail gasoline prices.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** On motion to recommit with instructions Failed by recorded vote: 177 - 245 (Roll no. 477).
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Passed/agreed to in House: On passage Passed by recorded vote: 253 - 166 (Roll no. 478). (text: CR H4400-4401)
- **Jun 22, 2011:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 22, 2011:** On passage Passed by recorded vote: 253 - 166 (Roll no. 478). (text: CR H4400-4401)
- **Jun 21, 2011:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 316 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H.R. 2021 and H.R. 1249. Previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. Measure will be considered read. Specified amendments are in order. The resolution provides for one hour of general debate for H.R. 2021 and 80 minutes of general debate for H.R. 1249. The resolution also provides that for H.R. 1249, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule.
- **Jun 16, 2011:** Reported by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. H. Rept. 112-108.
- **Jun 16, 2011:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 62.
- **Jun 3, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Energy and Power.
- **Jun 2, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 2, 2011:** Ordered to be Reported by the Yeas and Nays: 34 - 14.
- **Jun 1, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 26, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **May 26, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.