Amendment Offered by Mr. Gene Green of Texas to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to H.R. 8

In title III, add at the end the following new section:

1 SEC. 3007. MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR 2 CROSS-BORDER ENERGY FACILITY PERMIT 3 TING.

4 Not later than 1 year after the date of enactment 5 of this Act, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of En-6 ergy, and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 7 shall enter into a memorandum of understanding to establish best practices for, and facilitate coordination of, the 8 9 respective permitting or other approval processes of each 10 represented agency with respect to the construction, connection, operation, or maintenance, at the borders of the 11 12 United States, of pipelines for the exportation or importation of petroleum, petroleum products, other liquid prod-13 ucts, and natural gas, and facilities for the transmission 14 of electricity, to or from a foreign country. 15

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