

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 524
OFFERED BY MR. WESTERMAN OF ARKANSAS**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. EXEMPTION TO COASTAL BARRIER RESTRIC-
2 TIONS FOR SHORELINE BORROW SOURCES.

3 Section 6 of the Coastal Barrier Resources Act (16
4 U.S.C. 3505) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
5 lowing new subsection:

6 “(e) BORROW SOURCE.—Section 5 shall not apply to
7 Federal expenditures or financial assistance for the use
8 of a borrow source located within the System if such bor-
9 row source, or a portion thereof, has been used as a bor-
10 row source by a coastal storm risk management project
11 at least once prior to December 31, 2008.”.

