

**Amendment to the Westerman ANS to H.R. 276**  
**Offered by Rep. Soto**

At the end, insert “**Sec. 3. Effective Date.** This Act shall not take effect until the President permanently withdraws from disposition by oil or natural gas leasing the area of the Eastern Gulf of Mexico that is referred to in section 104(a) of the Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of 2006.”