

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2259

OFFERED BY MR. DAINES OF MONTANA

Page 1, line 5, strike “2013” and insert “2014”.

Page 2, after line 25, insert the following:

1 (c) EFFECT OF SECTION.—Nothing in this section
2 violates the rights of existing leaseholders or prohibits the
3 Secretary of the Interior from taking any action necessary
4 to complete any requirement under the National Environ-
5 mental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.) or
6 the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et
7 seq.) required for permitting surface-disturbing activity to
8 occur on any lease issued before the date of enactment
9 of this Act.

