

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 408

To nullify the Presidential memoranda on the withdrawal of certain areas of the outer Continental Shelf from oil or natural gas leasing.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 15, 2025

Mr. ARRINGTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. NULLIFICATION OF PRESIDENTIAL MEMO-**
4 **RANDA ON THE WITHDRAWAL OF CERTAIN**
5 **AREAS OF THE OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF.**

6 The following Presidential memoranda shall have no
7 force or effect:

8 (1) The Presidential Memorandum of January
9 6, 2025, titled “Memorandum on the Withdrawal of
10 Certain Areas of the United States Outer Conti-

1 nental Shelf from Oil or Natural Gas Leasing” (re-
2 lating to the Gulf of Mexico, Atlantic, and Pacific
3 areas).

4 (2) The Presidential Memorandum of January
5 6, 2025, titled “Memorandum on the Withdrawal of
6 Certain Areas of the United States Outer Conti-
7 nental Shelf from Oil or Natural Gas Leasing” (re-
8 lating to the Northern Bering Sea Climate Resil-
9 ience Area).

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