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H. R. 7258

To amend the Department of Energy Organization Act with respect to functions assigned to Assistant Secretaries, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 27, 2026

Ms. LEE of Florida (for herself and Mr. WALBERG) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Energy Emergency
5 Leadership Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. FUNCTIONS ASSIGNED TO ASSISTANT SECRE-**
7 **TARIES.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 203 of
9 the Department of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C.

1 7133(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following
2 new paragraph:

3 “(12) Energy emergency and energy security
4 functions, including—

5 “(A) responsibilities with respect to energy
6 infrastructure, security and resilience, emerging
7 threats, cybersecurity, supply, and emergency
8 planning and preparedness, coordination, re-
9 sponse, and restoration, as appropriate; and

10 “(B) upon request of a State, local, or
11 Tribal government or energy sector entity, and
12 in coordination with other Federal agencies as
13 appropriate, provision of technical assistance
14 and support to protect against, detect, and re-
15 spond to energy security threats, risks, and in-
16 cidents.”.

17 (b) COORDINATION.—The Secretary of Energy shall
18 ensure that the functions of the Secretary described in sec-
19 tion 203(a)(12) of the Department of Energy Organiza-
20 tion Act (as added by this Act) are performed in coordina-
21 tion with relevant Federal agencies.

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