

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT  
FOR H.R. 2231  
OFFERED BY MR. LOWENTHAL OF CALIFORNIA**

Add at the end the following:

1     **TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ —MISCELLANEOUS**  
2                                   **PROVISIONS**

3     **SEC. \_\_01. PREVENTING DISCRIMINATION BASED ON SEX-**  
4                                   **UAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTITY.**

5             (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior may  
6 not issue any oil and gas lease to a person under this Act  
7 or under an oil and gas leasing program issued under this  
8 Act unless the Secretary certifies that the person has  
9 adopted a formal policy preventing discrimination based  
10 on sexual orientation and gender identity.

11            (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall become ef-  
12 fective one year after the date of enactment of this Act.

