

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1231

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Page 4, line 19, strike the closing quotation marks and the second period, and after line 19 insert the following new paragraph:

1 “(7) **HIRING PREFERENCE FOR VETERANS.**—In
2 each oil and gas leasing program under this section,
3 the Secretary shall include requirements under
4 which each person awarded a lease under the pro-
5 gram shall give a preference to veterans (as that
6 term is defined in section 101(2) of title 38, United
7 States Code) in hiring individuals for activities
8 under the lease.”.

