

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1229, AS ORDERED  
REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MR. HASTINGS OF FLORIDA**

Page 5, line 9, before the closing quotation marks  
insert the following:

1           “(4) ESTIMATIONS REQUIRED IN PERMIT AP-  
2           PLICATIONS.—The Secretary shall require that each  
3           application for a permit to drill a well include de-  
4           tailed estimations of—

5                   “(A) the amount of oil and gas that is ex-  
6                   pected—

7                           “(i) to be found in the area where the  
8                           well is drilled, in the case of an exploration  
9                           well; or

10                           “(ii) to be produced by the well, in the  
11                           case of a production well; and

12                           “(B) the amount by which crude oil prices  
13                           and consumer prices would be reduced as a re-  
14                           sult of oil and gas found or produced by the  
15                           well, and by when the reductions would occur.

