

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2181, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MR. ARRINGTON OF TEXAS**

At the end of the bill, add the following:

**1 SEC. 7. CONTINUING OPERATIONS.**

2 Operators may continue new oil and gas develop-  
3 ments in the exclusionary zone proposed by this Act if  
4 those operators have previously been in accordance with  
5 the provisions of law formerly known as the “National  
6 Historic Preservation Act” and have not violated the exist-  
7 ing rules and regulations for the archeological sites and  
8 areas of sensitivity in the Chaco Canyon Historical Park.

