

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 7688**  
**OFFERED BY MR. STAUBER OF MINNESOTA**

Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. 3. ONSHORE LEASE SALES.**

2 (a) REQUIREMENT TO IMMEDIATELY RESUME ON-  
3 SHORE OIL AND GAS LEASE SALES.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Inte-  
5 rior shall immediately resume oil and gas lease sales  
6 in compliance with the Mineral Leasing Act (30  
7 U.S.C. 181 et seq.).

8 (2) REQUIREMENT.—The Secretary of the Inte-  
9 rior shall ensure that any oil and gas lease sale  
10 under paragraph (1) is conducted immediately on  
11 completion of all applicable scoping, public comment,  
12 and environmental analysis requirements under the  
13 Mineral Leasing Act (30 U.S.C. 181 et seq.) and the  
14 National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42  
15 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.).

16 (b) ANNUAL LEASE SALES.—

17 (1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other  
18 provision of law, in accordance with the Mineral  
19 Leasing Act (30 U.S.C. 181 et seq.), beginning in  
20 fiscal year 2022, the Secretary of the Interior shall

1           conduct a minimum of 4 oil and natural gas lease  
2           sales annually in each of the following States:

3                   (A) Wyoming.

4                   (B) New Mexico.

5                   (C) Colorado.

6                   (D) Utah.

7                   (E) Montana.

8                   (F) North Dakota.

9                   (G) Oklahoma.

10                  (H) Nevada.

11                  (I) Any other State in which there is land  
12                  available for oil and natural gas leasing under  
13                  that Act.

14                  (2) REQUIREMENT.—In conducting a lease sale  
15                  under paragraph (1) in a State described in that  
16                  paragraph, the Secretary of the Interior shall offer  
17                  all parcels eligible for oil and gas development under  
18                  the resource management plan in effect for the  
19                  State.

20                  (3) REPLACEMENT SALES.—If, for any reason,  
21                  a lease sale under paragraph (1) for a calendar year  
22                  is canceled, delayed, or deferred, including for a lack  
23                  of eligible parcels, the Secretary of the Interior shall

- 1 conduct a replacement sale during the same calendar
- 2 year.

