

Union Calendar No. 347

118TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 524

[Report No. 118–421]

To amend the Coastal Barrier Resources Act to create an exemption for certain shoreline borrow sites.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 25, 2023

Mr. ROUZER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

MARCH 12, 2024

Additional sponsors: Ms. MACE, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, and Mr. VAN DREW

MARCH 12, 2024

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in *italie*]

[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on January 25, 2023]

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. FEDERAL COASTAL STORM RISK MANAGEMENT**

4 **PROJECTS.**

5 *Section 6(a) of the Coastal Barrier Resources Act (16*
6 *U.S.C. 3505(a)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-*
7 *lowing:*

8 *“(7) Use of a sand source within a System unit*
9 *by Federal coastal storm risk management projects or*
10 *their predecessor projects that have used a system unit*
11 *for sand to nourish adjacent beaches outside the Sys-*
12 *tem pursuant to section 5 of the Act of August 18,*
13 *1941 (commonly known as the ‘Flood Control Act of*
14 *1941’) (55 Stat. 650, chapter 377; 33 U.S.C. 701n) at*
15 *least once between December 31, 2008 and December*
16 *31, 2023 in response to an emergency situation prior*
17 *to December 31, 2023.”.*

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