

107TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1852

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 15, 2001

Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi introduced the following bill; which was referred  
to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## A BILL

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natural gas prices charged to end users may be increased.

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. LIMITATION.**

4       Section 4(a) of the Natural Gas Act (15 U.S.C.  
5 717c(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following:  
6       “A rate or charge made, demanded, or received, for a sale  
7       in interstate commerce of natural gas to an end user, that  
8       represents an increase in the rate or charge to such end

- 1 user in excess of 15 percent per month shall be deemed
- 2 to be not just and reasonable.”.

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