

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5863

To clarify section 1702 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to include penalties for violations of title XVII of that Act.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 30, 2012

Mr. BURGESS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

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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. INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY LOAN GUARAN-**
4 **TEES.**

5 Section 1702 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (42
6 U.S.C. 16512) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
7 lowing new subsection:

8 “(1) CIVIL PENALTIES.—Any official of the Federal
9 Government who is responsible for the issuance of a loan

1 guarantee under this title in a manner that violates the
2 requirements of this title shall be personally liable for a
3 civil penalty in an amount of at least \$10,000 but not
4 more than \$50,000 for each violation.”.

