

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4239**  
**OFFERED BY MR. JOHNSON OF LOUISIANA**

Page 31, after line 10, insert the following:

1           (c) TRANSFER OF CERTAIN RESPONSIBILITIES TO  
2 THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.—Section 3(12) of the  
3 Marine Mammal Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 1362(12)) is  
4 amended—

5           (1) in subparagraph (A), in the matter pre-  
6 ceding clause (i), by striking “subparagraph (B)”  
7 and inserting “subparagraphs (B) and (C)”; and

8           (2) by adding at the end the following:

9           “(C) In sections 101(a)(3), 101(a)(5), 103,  
10 and 104 (16 U.S.C. 1371(a)(3), 16 U.S.C.  
11 1371(a)(5), 16 U.S.C. 1373, and 16 U.S.C.  
12 1374), for activities associated with operations  
13 authorized under the Outer Continental Shelf  
14 Lands Act (43 U.S.C. 1331 et seq.), the term  
15 ‘Secretary’ means the Secretary of the Interior  
16 with respect to all marine mammals.”.

