108TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 1122

To amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to provide funding for the clean up of MTBE contamination from underground storage tanks, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 6, 2003

Mrs. Capps (for herself, Mr. George Miller of California, Mrs. Davis of California, and Ms. Lee) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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. AMENDMENT OF SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT.
- 4 Section 9010 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act is
- 5 amended to read as follows:
- 6 SEC. 9010. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.
- 7 "(a) In General.—For authorization of appropria-
- 8 tions to carry out this subtitle, other than with respect
- 9 to MTBE contamination, see section 2007(f).

- 1 "(b) MTBE CONTAMINATION.—In order to protect
- 2 human health, welfare, and the environment from release
- 3 of methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE) from underground
- 4 storage tanks, there are authorized to be appropriated
- 5 from the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund
- 6 established by section 9508 of the Internal Revenue Code
- 7 of 1986, notwithstanding section 9508(c)(1) of such Code,
- 8 \$200,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 2004, 2005,
- 9 2006, 2007, and 2008 to be used by the Administrator
- 10 under this subtitle for assessment, corrective action, in-
- 11 spection of underground storage tank systems, operator
- 12 certification and training, and groundwater monitoring in
- 13 connection with methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE) con-
- 14 tamination.".

15 SEC. 2. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.

- Section 9001(2)(B) is amended by inserting "(includ-
- 17 ing MTBE or any other fuel additive)" before the period
- 18 at the end thereof.

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