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# H. R. 5589

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 11, 2008

Mr. MELANCON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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## 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. ATCHAFALAYA RIVER AND BAYOUS CHENE,**  
4               **BOEUF, AND BLACK, LOUISIANA.**

5       The project for navigation, Atchafalaya River and  
6       Bayous Chene, Boeuf, and Black, Louisiana, authorized  
7       by section 101 of the River and Harbor Act of 1968 (82  
8       Stat. 731), and modified by section 3077 of the Water

1 Resources Development Act of 2007 (121 Stat. 1126), is  
2 further modified to authorize the Secretary of the Army—

3 (1) to include as part of the project the portion  
4 of the Lower Atchafalaya River known as the  
5 “Crewboat Cut”, located south of the convergence of  
6 Bayou Chene into the Atchafalaya River and east of  
7 the authorized part of the channel known as the  
8 “Horseshoe”; and

9 (2) to carry out projects for bank stabilization  
10 on the eastern shore of Crewboat Cut to prevent ero-  
11 sion from wave action and scouring.

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