

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1435

To amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to increase the capacity of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 21, 2007

Mr. COCHRAN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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. INCREASE IN CAPACITY OF STRATEGIC PETRO-**
4 **LEUM RESERVE.**

5 (a) STRATEGIC PETROLEUM RESERVE.—

6 (1) POLICY.—Section 151(b) of the Energy
7 Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6231(b)) is
8 amended by striking “1 billion” and inserting
9 “1,500,000,000”.

1 (2) CREATION.—Section 154(a) of the Energy
2 Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6234(a)) is
3 amended by striking “1 billion” and inserting
4 “1,500,000,000”.

5 (b) FILLING STRATEGIC PETROLEUM RESERVE TO
6 CAPACITY.—Section 301(e) of the Energy Policy Act of
7 2005 (42 U.S.C. 6240 note; Public Law 109–58) is
8 amended by striking “1,000,000,000-barrel” and inserting
9 “1,500,000,000-barrel”.

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