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# H. R. 3252

To authorize the President of the United States to agree to an amendment to the agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the United Mexican States concerning the establishment of a Border Environment Cooperation Commission and a North American Development Bank.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 17, 2009

Mr. HINOJOSA (for himself, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CUELLAR, and Mr. REYES) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. AUTHORITY TO AGREE TO AN AMENDMENT TO**  
2 **THE BORDER ENVIRONMENT COOPERATION**  
3 **AGREEMENT.**

4 Section 545 of the North American Free Trade  
5 Agreement Implementation Act (22 U.S.C. 290m-4) is  
6 amended—

7 (1) in paragraph (1) by striking “; and” and in-  
8 serting a semicolon;

9 (2) in paragraph (2) by striking the period and  
10 inserting “; and”; and

11 (3) by adding at the end the following:

12 “(3) expand the purposes and functions of the  
13 Border Environment Cooperation Commission and  
14 the North American Development Bank to allow the  
15 Commission to certify, and the Bank to finance, any  
16 infrastructure in the border region.”.

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