H. R. 457

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 26, 2011

Mr. McKinley (for himself, Mrs. Capito, Mr. Johnson of Ohio, Mr. Gibbs, and Mr. Rahall) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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.
- 4 (a) In General.—Section 404(c) of the Federal
- 5 Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1344(c)) is
- 6 amended by striking "The Administrator is authorized"
- 7 and inserting "Until such time as the Secretary has issued

- 1 a permit under this section, the Administrator is author-
- 2 ized".
- 3 (b) Effective Date.—The amendment made by
- 4 subsection (a) shall take effect on January 1, 2011.

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