

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 6554

To limit the period in advance of a nuclear reactor license renewal that the application for such renewal may be submitted to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 21, 2012

Mr. TIERNEY (for himself and Mr. MARKEY) 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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Nuclear Reactor Safety
5 First Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. NUCLEAR REACTOR LICENSE RENEWALS.**

7 Section 103c. of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42
8 U.S.C. 2133(c)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
9 lowing: “The Commission may not approve a renewal of

1 such a license for a reactor if the application for that re-
2 newal was submitted to the Commission more than 10
3 years before the expiration of the license being renewed.”.

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