

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-

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OFFERED BY MR. CARTER OF GEORGIA

Page 1, strike lines 4 through 16 and insert the following:

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON LEASING IN CERTAIN PLANNING**

2 **AREAS.**

3 Section 18 of the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act
4 (43 U.S.C. 1344) is amended—

5 (1) by redesignating subsections (g) and (h) as
6 subsections (h) and (i), respectively; and

7 (2) by inserting after subsection (f) the following:
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9 “(g) The State legislature must approve any proposed
10 lease sales in Federal waters adjacent to the respective
11 State for the Atlantic Region planning areas or the Pacific
12 Region planning areas, as such planning areas are described in the document entitled ‘Draft Proposed Program
13 Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Leasing Program
14 2019–2024’, dated January 2018.”
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