

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5887
OFFERED BY MR. LANDRY OF LOUISIANA

Page 17, after line 24, insert the following (and re-designate subsequent sections, and conform the table of contents, accordingly):

1 SEC. 303. PENALTIES.

2 Section 12151(a) of title 46, United States Code, is
3 amended—

4 (1) by striking “A person that violates” and in-
5 serting the following:

6 “(1) CIVIL PENALTIES.—Except as provided in
7 paragraph (2), a person that violates”; and

8 (2) by adding at the end the following:

9 “(2) ACTIVITIES INVOLVING MOBILE OFFSHORE
10 DRILLING UNITS.—A person that violates section
11 12111(d) or a regulation prescribed under that sec-
12 tion is liable to the United States Government for a
13 civil penalty in an amount that is \$25,000 or twice
14 the charter rate of the vessel involved in the viola-
15 tion (as determined by the Secretary), whichever is
16 greater. Each day of a continuing violation is a sep-
17 arate violation.”.

