

Union Calendar No. 253

105TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 2877

[Report No. 105-445]

To amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 7, 1997

Mr. BALLENGER (for himself, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. PAUL, Mr. DELAY, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER of Colorado, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. GREENWOOD, and Mr. BOEHNER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

MARCH 17, 1998

Additional sponsors: Mr. GOODLING, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. JONES

MARCH 17, 1998

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italics]

A BILL

To amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970.

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. INSPECTIONS.**

2 Section 8 of the Occupational Safety and Health Act
3 of 1970 (29 U.S.C. 657) is amended by adding at the end
4 the following:

5 “(h) The Secretary shall not establish any perform-
6 ance measures for any subordinate within the Occupa-
7 tional Safety and Health Administration (including any
8 regional director, area director, supervisor, or inspector)
9 with respect to the number of inspections conducted, cita-
10 tions issued, or penalties assessed.”.

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13 *of 1970 (29 U.S.C. 657) is amended by adding at the end*
14 *the following:*

15 “(h) *The Secretary shall not use the results of enforce-*
16 *ment activities, such as the number of citations issued or*
17 *penalties assessed, to evaluate employees directly involved*
18 *in enforcement activities under this Act or to impose quotas*
19 *or goals with regard to the results of such activities.”.*

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