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H. R. 5038

To amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 27, 2000

Mr. HALL of Texas (for himself and Mr. TAUZIN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

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; REFERENCE.**

4 (a) **SHORT TITLE.**—This Act may be cited as the
5 “Workplace Safety Improvement Act”.

6 (b) **REFERENCE.**—Whenever in this Act an amend-
7 ment or repeal is expressed in terms of an amendment
8 to, or repeal of, a section or other provision, the reference
9 shall be considered to be made to a section or other provi-
10 sion of the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970
11 (29 U.S.C. 651 et seq.).

1 **SEC. 2. DUTIES OF EMPLOYERS.**

2 Section 5 (29 U.S.C. 654) is amended by adding at
3 the end the following new subsection:

4 “(c) On multi-employer work sites, an employer may
5 not be cited for a violation of this section if the employer—

6 “(1) has not created the condition that caused
7 the violation;

8 “(2) has no employees exposed to the violation;

9 or

10 “(3) has not assumed responsibility for ensur-
11 ing compliance by other employers on the work
12 site.”.

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