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# H. R. 3543

To limit liability under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 for service station dealers with respect to the release or threatened release of recycled oil.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 20, 2003

Mr. CAPUANO (for himself, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. LYNCH) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## 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. AMENDMENT.**

4 Section 114(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental  
5 Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (42

1 U.S.C. 9614(c) is amended by adding at the end the fol-  
2 lowing new paragraph:

3           “(5) PRIOR TO EFFECTIVE DATE.—No person  
4           (including the United States or any State) may re-  
5           cover, under the authority of subsection (a)(3) or (4)  
6           of section 107, from a service station dealer for any  
7           response costs or damages resulting from a release  
8           or threatened release of recycled oil, or use the au-  
9           thority of section 106 against a service station deal-  
10          er other than a person described in subsection (a)(1)  
11          or (2) of section 107, with respect to any period be-  
12          tween November 8, 1986, and the effective date de-  
13          scribed in paragraph (4), if the service station dealer  
14          had complied with all applicable laws and regula-  
15          tions relating to the disposal of such oil.”.

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