

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To repeal certain restrictions on coastwise trade.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—114th Cong., 1st Sess.

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To approve the Keystone XL Pipeline.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and
ordered to be printed

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MCCAIN to
the amendment (No. 2) proposed by Ms. MURKOWSKI

Viz:

1 At the end of the amendment, add the following:

2 **SEC. 3. REPEAL OF CERTAIN LIMITATIONS ON COASTWISE**
3 **TRADE.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 12112(a) of title 46,
5 United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

6 “(a) IN GENERAL.—A coastwise endorsement may be
7 issued for a vessel that qualifies under the laws of the
8 United States to engage in the coastwise trade.”.

9 (b) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 90 days after the
10 date of the enactment of this Act, the Commandant of
11 the United States Coast Guard shall issue regulations to
12 implement the amendment made by subsection (a) that
13 require all vessels permitted to engage in the coastwise

1 trade to meet all appropriate safety and security require-
2 ments.

3 (c) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

4 (1) TANK VESSEL CONSTRUCTION STAND-
5 ARDS.—Section 3703a(c)(1)(C) of title 46, United
6 States Code, is amended by striking “and is quali-
7 fied for documentation as a wrecked vessel under
8 section 12112 of this title”.

9 (2) LIQUIFIED GAS TANKERS.—Section 12120
10 of such title is amended by striking “, if the vessel—
11 ” and all that follows and inserting a period.

12 (3) SMALL PASSENGER VESSELS.—Section
13 12121(b) of such title is amended by striking
14 “12112,”.

15 (4) LOSS OF COASTWISE TRADE PRIVILEGES.—
16 Section 12132 of such title is repealed.

17 (5) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sec-
18 tions for chapter 121 of title 46, United States
19 Code, is amended by striking the item relating to
20 section 12132.

21 **SEC. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.**