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To permit a Commissioner of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to continue to serve on the Commission if a successor is not timely appointed and confirmed.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 1, 2011

Mr. KINZINGER of Illinois (for himself, Mr. ROSS of Arkansas, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. BART-LETT, Mr. TERRY, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. LATTA, Mr. CRAWFORD, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. HARPER, Mr. RUSH, and Mr. OWENS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

A BILL

- To permit a Commissioner of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to continue to serve on the Commission if a successor is not timely appointed and confirmed.
 - 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.

- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Nuclear Regulatory
- 5 Commission Continuation Act".

1 SEC. 2. NRC COMMISSIONER TERMS.

2 Section 201(c) of the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5841(c)) is amended by adding at the 3 end the following: "Notwithstanding the first sentence of 4 5 this subsection, any member appointed and confirmed before, on, or after the date of enactment of this sentence 6 7 who has not been removed by the President under sub-8 section (e) may continue to serve on the Commission until the earlier of-9

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10 "(1) the date on which the member's successor11 has been appointed and confirmed; or

12 "(2) the beginning of the first new Congress13 after the date on which the member's term expires.".

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