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Purpose: To improve the efficiency and power generation capacity of existing hydroelectric power facilities.

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To promote clean energy technology development, enhanced energy efficiency, improved energy security, and energy innovation and workforce development, and for other purposes.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Ms. MURKOWSKI

Viz:

On page 431, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

SEC. 428. RENEWABLE ENERGY DEPLOYMENT.

Section 803 of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (42 U.S.C. 17282) is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)(4)(B)—

(A) by redesignating clauses (i) through (iv) as subclauses (I) through (IV), respectively;

(B) by inserting ''(i)'' after ''(B)'';

(C) in clause (iv), by striking the period at the end and inserting ''; or''; and

(D) by adding at the end the following:

''(ii) that improves the efficiency or generating power capacity at an existing hydroelectric power generating facility.''; and

(2) in subsection (b)(1), by inserting ''establish a national renewable energy construction grants program under which the Secretary shall'' after ''shall''.