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# H. R. 2075

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 1, 2011

Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. BERKLEY, and Mrs. LOWEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## A BILL

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dry cask storage, and for other purposes.

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 “Dry Cask Storage  
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. DRY CASK SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL STORAGE.**

7 (a) REQUIREMENT.—Not later than 1 year after the  
8 Nuclear Regulatory Commission designates spent nuclear  
9 fuel contained in storage pools as qualified to be placed  
10 in dry cask storage certified by the Commission, such

1 spent nuclear fuel shall be moved from such pools and  
2 placed in certified dry casks.

3 (b) COSTS OF COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary of En-  
4 ergy shall determine the costs required for compliance  
5 with subsection (a) by the owner of spent nuclear fuel,  
6 and shall reduce by that amount the amount due from  
7 that owner pursuant to section 302 of the Nuclear Waste  
8 Policy Act of 1982 (42 U.S.C. 10222).

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