Amendment to H.R. 4239 Offered by Mr. Pearce of New Mexico

At the end of title II, add the following:

1 SEC. ____. PROTESTED LEASE SALES.

Section 17(b)(1)(A) of the Mineral Leasing Act (30
U.S.C. 226(b)(1)(A)) is amended by inserting "The Secretary shall resolve any protest to a lease sale within 60
days following such payment." after "annual rental for the
first lease year".

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