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To permit exports of certain domestically produced crude oil, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. DOLE (for Mr. MURKOWSKI) (for himself, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. STEVENS, and Mr. HEFLIN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

A BILL

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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. EXPORTS OF ALASKAN NORTH SLOPE OIL.**

4 Section 28 of the Act entitled “An Act to promote
5 the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and so-
6 dium on the public domain”, approved February 25, 1920
7 (commonly known as the “Mineral Leasing Act”) (30
8 U.S.C. 185), is amended—

9 (1) by striking subsection (s) and inserting the
10 following:

1 “EXPORTS OF ALASKAN NORTH SLOPE OIL

2 “(s)(1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), notwithstanding any other provision of law (including any regulation), any oil transported by pipeline over a right-of-way granted pursuant to section 203 of the Trans-Alaska Pipeline Authorization Act (43 U.S.C. 1652) may be exported.

7 “(2) Except in the case of oil exported to a country pursuant to a bilateral international oil supply agreement entered into by the United States with the country before June 25, 1979, or to a country pursuant to the International Emergency Oil Sharing Plan of the International Energy Agency, the oil shall be transported by a vessel documented under the laws of the United States and owned by a citizen of the United States (as determined in accordance with section 2 of the Shipping Act, 1916 (46 U.S.C. App. 802)).

17 “(3) Nothing in this subsection shall restrict the authority of the President under the Constitution, the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.), or the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1601 et seq.) to prohibit exportation of the oil.”; and

22 (2) by striking subsection (u).

1 **SEC. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 This Act and the amendments made by it shall take
3 effect on the date of enactment.

