

107TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 3212

To require Secretary of Defense to expand the range maintenance program of the Department of Defense regarding the removal of unexploded ordnance and munitions constituents from live impact areas of military training ranges to include any underwater portions of the live impact areas.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 1, 2001

Mr. ACEVEDO-VILÁ (for himself, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. MENENDEZ) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Underwater
5 Unexploded Ordnance Removal Act of 2001”.

1 **SEC. 2. REMOVAL OF UNEXPLODED ORDNANCE AND MUNI-**
2 **TIONS CONSTITUENTS FROM UNDERWATER**
3 **PORTIONS OF LIVE IMPACT AREAS.**

4 (a) **EXPANSION OF EXISTING RANGE MAINTENANCE**
5 **PROGRAM.**—The Secretary of Defense shall ensure that
6 the range maintenance program carried out by the De-
7 partment of Defense to remove unexploded ordnance and
8 munitions constituents from live impact areas of military
9 training ranges and to perform environmental remediation
10 in connection with the removal of such unexploded ord-
11 nance and munitions constituents includes any underwater
12 portions of the live impact areas.

13 (b) **BUDGET REPORTS.**—The budget justification
14 materials submitted to the Congress in support of the
15 budget of the Department of Defense for fiscal year 2003,
16 and subsequent fiscal years, shall set forth separately the
17 amounts requested to carry out the removal of unexploded
18 ordnance and munitions constituents from the underwater
19 portions of live impact areas of military training ranges
20 and related environmental remediation.

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