

119<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 7258

To amend the Department of Energy Organization Act with respect to functions assigned to Assistant Secretaries, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 27, 2026

Ms. LEE of Florida (for herself and Mr. WALBERG) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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## 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 “Energy Emergency  
5 Leadership Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. FUNCTIONS ASSIGNED TO ASSISTANT SECRE-**  
7 **TARIES.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 203 of  
9 the Department of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C.

1 7133(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following  
2 new paragraph:

3 “(12) Energy emergency and energy security  
4 functions, including—

5 “(A) responsibilities with respect to energy  
6 infrastructure, security and resilience, emerging  
7 threats, cybersecurity, supply, and emergency  
8 planning and preparedness, coordination, re-  
9 sponse, and restoration, as appropriate; and

10 “(B) upon request of a State, local, or  
11 Tribal government or energy sector entity, and  
12 in coordination with other Federal agencies as  
13 appropriate, provision of technical assistance  
14 and support to protect against, detect, and re-  
15 spond to energy security threats, risks, and in-  
16 cidents.”.

17 (b) COORDINATION.—The Secretary of Energy shall  
18 ensure that the functions of the Secretary described in sec-  
19 tion 203(a)(12) of the Department of Energy Organiza-  
20 tion Act (as added by this Act) are performed in coordina-  
21 tion with relevant Federal agencies.

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