

103^D CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1503

To amend the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 respecting the participation in or attendance of operators at interviews conducted in connection with an investigation of an accident.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 29, 1993

Mr. BOUCHER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

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. INTERVIEWS OF MINERS.**

4 Section 103(a) of the Federal Mine Safety and
5 Health Act of 1977 (30 U.S.C. 813(a)) is amended by
6 adding at the end the following: "In any interview of a
7 current or former employee of an operator with respect
8 to whose operation the Secretary conducts an investigation

1 arising from an accident, the operator shall not be per-
2 mitted, in person or through a representative, to partici-
3 pate in or attend such interview.”.

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