

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 2236

To extend Federal restrictions on the export of unprocessed timber to timber harvested in the State of Texas.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 20, 1993

Mr. WILSON introduced the following bill; which was referred jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Foreign Affairs

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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. EXTENSION OF FOREST RESOURCES CON-**  
4 **SERVATION AND SHORTAGE RELIEF ACT OF**  
5 **1990 TO THE ENTIRE STATE OF TEXAS.**

6 (a) EXTENSION OF RESTRICTIONS.—Section 489(a)  
7 of the Forest Resources Conservation and Shortage Relief  
8 Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. 620a(a)) is amended by inserting  
9 “or from Federal lands in the State of Texas” after  
10 “100th meridian in the contiguous 48 States”.

1 (b) SUBSTITUTION.—Section 490 of such Act (16  
2 U.S.C. 620b) is amended—

3 (1) in subsections (a)(1), (a)(2)(D)(i), and  
4 (b)(1), by inserting “or from Federal lands in the  
5 State of Texas” after “100th meridian in the contig-  
6 uous 48 States” each place it appears; and

7 (2) in subsection (c)(1), by inserting “or from  
8 a sourcing area in the State of Texas” after “100th  
9 meridian in the contiguous 48 States”.

10 (c) MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT.—Section 492  
11 of such Act (16 U.S.C. 620d) is amended in subsections  
12 (a) and (b) by inserting “or from Federal lands in the  
13 State of Texas” after “100th meridian in the contiguous  
14 48 States” each place it appears.

15 (d) DEFINITIONS.—Section 493 of such Act (16  
16 U.S.C. 620e) is amended—

17 (1) in paragraph (3), by inserting “or in the  
18 State of Texas” after “48 States”; and

19 (2) in paragraph (8), by inserting “or from  
20 Federal lands in the State of Texas” after “100th  
21 meridian in the contiguous 48 States”.

22 (e) TREATMENT OF WOOD CHIPS.—Section 493(7)  
23 of such Act (16 U.S.C. 620e(7)) is amended by adding  
24 at the end the following:

1           “(C) Notwithstanding subparagraph (B), the  
2           term ‘unprocessed timber’ includes chips processed  
3           from timber originating in the State of Texas.”.

4           (f) EFFECTIVE DATE AND EFFECT OF AMEND-  
5           MENTS.—

6           (1) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made  
7           by this section shall take effect on the date of the  
8           enactment of this Act.

9           (2) EFFECT OF AMENDMENTS.—For purposes  
10          of applying the amendments made by this section to  
11          lands in the State of Texas not previously covered  
12          by the Forest Resources Conservation and Shortage  
13          Relief Act of 1990, references in such Act to the  
14          date of the enactment of such Act shall be deemed  
15          to be references to the date of the enactment of this  
16          section.

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