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116TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

**H. R.** \_\_\_\_\_

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. MAST introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_  
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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. LAKE OKEECHOBEE DISCHARGE PROHIBITION.**

4 The Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief  
5 of Engineers, shall prohibit discharges of water through  
6 the S-308 and S-80 lock and dam structures at Lake  
7 Okeechobee when the water exceeds the maximum con-  
8 centration of microcystins recommended for recreational

1 waters by the Environmental Protection Agency, as de-  
2 scribed in the notice titled “Recommended Human Health  
3 Recreational Ambient Water Quality Criteria or Swim-  
4 ming Advisories for Microcystins and  
5 Cylindrospermopsin” (84 Fed. Reg. 26413) (or any suc-  
6 cessor water quality criteria), based on tests conducted by  
7 the Secretary, another Federal agency, or the State of  
8 Florida.