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H. R. 3555

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 20, 2003

Mr. MORAN of Virginia introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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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,*

1 **SECTION 1. NOX EMISSION TRADING BY SOURCES IN**
2 **OZONE NONATTAINMENT AREAS.**

3 Section 126 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7426)
4 is amended by adding the following new subsection at the
5 end thereof:

6 "(d) NOX TRADING.—No stationary source of oxides
7 of nitrogen that is located in an ozone nonattainment area
8 may purchase nitrogen oxide emission credits under any
9 emissions trading program established by the Environ-
10 mental Protection Agency or use any other authority pro-
11 vided by rules promulgated by the Administrator that
12 would permit emissions of oxides of nitrogen from such
13 source in excess of emission limits for that air pollutant
14 otherwise applicable to that source under the State imple-
15 mentation plan and section 407 of this Act.".

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