Republicans pledge to fight on for Canada to Texas Keystone pipeline

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WASHINGTON // Republicans in the US House of Representatives said they planned to introduce a bill to advance TransCanada's Keystone XL oil pipeline to try to override President Barack Obama's rejection of the multibillion dollar project.

The Republican House leader, John Boehner, said "all options are on the table" to draw up a bill to fight for the US$7 billion (Dh25.69bn) pipeline, which Republicans said would create thousands of jobs and bolster the economic recovery.

House Republicans have not yet decided what kind of legislation they will push for, said Lee Terry, a Republican from Nebraska who supports the Canada-to-Texas pipeline.

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