

AMENDMENT**OFFERED BY _____ TO THE AMEND-
MENT OFFERED BY MS. SALAZAR OF FLORIDA**

Strike “foreign policy and assistance” each place it appears and insert “foreign policy”.

Page 1, beginning line 1, strike the matter to be inserted as subsection (b) and insert the following:

1 (b) RESPONSIBILITIES.—In addition to the respon-
2 sibilities described under subsection (a), the Assistant Sec-
3 retary for East Asian and Pacific Affairs shall—

4 (1) manage the general conduct of United
5 States foreign policy and diplomatic relations with
6 countries in East Asia and the Pacific, which shall
7 be consistent with the countries under the jurisdic-
8 tion of the Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Af-
9 fairs;

10 (2) provide guidance to ambassadors and diplo-
11 matic emissaries in East Asia and the Pacific and
12 conducting regular oversight of diplomatic activities
13 in that region;

14 (3) serve as the central liaison for the Depart-
15 ment’s activities in East Asia and the Pacific; and

1 (4) perform such other duties as the Under
2 Secretary of State for Political Affairs may from
3 time to time designate.

Page 2, beginning line 12, strike the matter to be
inserted as subsection (b) and insert the following:

4 (b) RESPONSIBILITIES.—In addition to the respon-
5 sibilities described under subsection (a), the Assistant Sec-
6 retary for South and Central Asian Affairs shall—

7 (1) manage the general conduct of United
8 States foreign policy and diplomatic relations with
9 countries in South and Central Asia, which shall be
10 consistent with the countries under the jurisdiction
11 of the Bureau of South and Central Asian Affairs;

12 (2) provide guidance to ambassadors and diplo-
13 matic emissaries in the South and Central Asia and
14 conducting regular oversight of diplomatic activities
15 in that region;

16 (3) serve as the central liaison for the Depart-
17 ment's activities in the South and Central Asia; and

18 (4) perform such other duties as the Under
19 Secretary of State for Political Affairs may from
20 time to time designate.

Page 3, beginning line 22, strike subsection (b) and
insert the following:

1 (b) RESPONSIBILITIES.—In addition to the respon-
2 sibilities described under subsection (a), the Assistant Sec-
3 retary for Western Hemisphere Affairs shall—

4 (1) manage the general conduct of United
5 States foreign policy and diplomatic relations with
6 countries in the Western Hemisphere region, which
7 shall be consistent with the countries under the ju-
8 risdiction of the Bureau of Western Hemisphere Af-
9 fairs;

10 (2) provide guidance to ambassadors and diplo-
11 matic emissaries in the Western Hemisphere region
12 and conducting regular oversight of diplomatic ac-
13 tivities in that region;

14 (3) serve as the central liaison for the Depart-
15 ment's activities in the Western Hemisphere region;
16 and

17 (4) perform such other duties as the Under
18 Secretary of State for Political Affairs may from
19 time to time designate.

Page 8, beginning line 16, strike the matter to be
inserted as subsection (b) and insert the following:

20 (b) RESPONSIBILITIES.—In addition to the respon-
21 sibilities described under subsection (a), the Assistant Sec-
22 retary for Europe and Eurasian Affairs shall—

1 (1) manage the general conduct of United
2 States foreign policy and diplomatic relations with
3 countries in Europe and Eurasia, which shall be
4 consistent with the countries under the jurisdiction
5 of the Bureau of Europe and Eurasian Affairs;

6 (2) provide guidance to ambassadors and diplo-
7 matic emissaries in Europe and Eurasia and con-
8 ducting regular oversight of diplomatic activities in
9 that region;

10 (3) serve as the central liaison for the Depart-
11 ment's activities in Europe and Eurasia; and

12 (4) perform such other duties as the Under
13 Secretary of State for Political Affairs may from
14 time to time designate.

Insert into the amendment offered by Ms. Salazar,
in page and line number sequence, the following addi-
tional amendatory instructions to the text of H.R. 5246:

Page 4, line 21, strike “and assistance”.

Page 7, line 19, strike “foreign policy and assist-
ance” and insert “foreign policy”.

Page 11, beginning line 17, strike subsection (b) and
insert the following:

1 (b) RESPONSIBILITIES.—In addition to the respon-
2 sibilities described under subsection (a), the Assistant Sec-
3 retary for African Affairs shall—

4 (1) manage the general conduct of United
5 States foreign policy and diplomatic relations with
6 countries in Africa, which shall be consistent with
7 the countries under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of
8 African Affairs;

9 (2) provide guidance to ambassadors and diplo-
10 matic emissaries in Africa and conducting regular
11 oversight of diplomatic activities in that region;

12 (3) serve as the central liaison for the Depart-
13 ment's activities in Africa; and

14 (4) perform such other duties as the Under
15 Secretary of State for Political Affairs may from
16 time to time designate.

Page 12, beginning line 5, strike subsection (b) and
insert the following:

17 (b) RESPONSIBILITIES.—In addition to the respon-
18 sibilities described under subsection (a), the Assistant Sec-
19 retary for Near Eastern Affairs shall—

20 (1) manage the general conduct of United
21 States foreign policy and diplomatic relations with
22 countries in the Middle East and North Africa,
23 which shall be consistent with the countries under

1 the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Near Eastern Af-
2 fairs;

3 (2) provide guidance to ambassadors and diplo-
4 matic emissaries in the Middle East and North Afri-
5 ca and conducting regular oversight of diplomatic
6 activities in that region;

7 (3) serve as the central liaison for the Depart-
8 ment's activities in the Middle East and North Afri-
9 ca; and

10 (4) perform such other duties as the Under
11 Secretary of State for Political Affairs may from
12 time to time designate.

