

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5300
OFFERED BY MR. CASTRO OF TEXAS

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____.** **TERRORISM DESIGNATION AND AUTHORIZATION**
2 **FOR USE OF FORCE.**

3 (a) **FINDING.**—Congress finds that—

4 (1) the designation of an individual or entity as
5 a Foreign Terrorist Organization or Specially Des-
6 ignated Global Terrorist has never, in and of itself,
7 constituted an authorization for use of force against
8 such individual or entity; and

9 (2) Congress has never authorized the use of
10 military force against Venezuela.

11 (b) **TERRORIST DESIGNATION.**—The designation of
12 an individual or entity as a Foreign Terrorist Organiza-
13 tion or Specially Designated Global Terrorist does not, in
14 and of itself, constitute an authorization for use of force
15 against such individual or entity.

16 (c) **USE OF FORCE AGAINST VENEZUELA.**— No ac-
17 tion or inaction by Congress prior to the date of the enact-
18 ment of this Act shall be interpreted to constitute an au-

- 1 thORIZATION for use of force against Venezuela or otherwise
- 2 support the use of force against Venezuela.

