

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 9087
OFFERED BY MR. ISSA OF CALIFORNIA**

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

1 **SEC. __. FIREARM PERMITS FOR FOREIGN PROTECTIVE SE-**
2 **CURITY OFFICERS.**

3 The Foreign Missions Act (22 U.S.C. 4301 et seq.)
4 is amended by inserting after section 204 the following:

5 **“SEC. 204A. FIREARM PERMITS FOR FOREIGN PROTECTIVE**
6 **SECURITY OFFICERS.**

7 “(a) **AUTHORITY.**—The Secretary may issue a photo-
8 graphic firearm permit to an eligible foreign protective se-
9 curity officer authorizing the officer to carry a firearm in
10 the United States for official protective functions, subject
11 to such terms and conditions as the Secretary may pre-
12 scribe.

13 “(b) **ELIGIBILITY AND CONDITIONS.**—The Secretary
14 may require, as conditions of issuance or continued valid-
15 ity, that the foreign protective security officer—

16 “(1) be identified and sponsored by a foreign
17 mission;

18 “(2) satisfy background, security, training,
19 qualification, insurance, storage, transportation, and

1 accountability requirements established by the Sec-
2 retary;

3 “(3) carry firearms only in connection with offi-
4 cial protective functions and only within geographic,
5 temporal, mission, weapon, and ammunition limits
6 established by the Secretary;

7 “(4) comply with applicable Federal, State, and
8 local law, except to the extent expressly authorized
9 by the permit and Federal law; and

10 “(5) meet reciprocity or other foreign policy re-
11 quirements determined by the Secretary.

12 “(c) SUSPENSION AND REVOCATION.—The Secretary
13 may deny, suspend, revoke, or condition a permit under
14 this section if the Secretary determines that such action
15 is required by reciprocity, public safety, national security,
16 law enforcement, protection of United States interests, or
17 foreign policy interests.

18 “(d) RECORDS.—The Secretary may maintain a
19 database of permits issued under this section and may
20 share permit information with appropriate Federal, State,
21 local, Tribal, territorial, and foreign officials for law en-
22 forcement, public safety, protective, reciprocity, or foreign
23 policy purposes.

24 “(e) NO ARREST AUTHORITY OR IMMUNITY.—A per-
25 mit issued under this section does not confer arrest au-

1 thority and does not alter any immunity or privilege under
2 any other provision of law.

3 “(f) SECRET SERVICE NOT AFFECTED.—Nothing in
4 this section shall be construed to limit the authority of
5 the United States Secret Service.”.

