

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

Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. __. BASIC HOUSING ALLOWANCE.**

2 Chapter 4 of title I (22 U.S.C. 3961 et seq.) is
3 amended by adding at the end the following:

4 **“SEC. 417. BASIC HOUSING ALLOWANCE.**

5 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall provide for
6 the payment of a basic housing allowance for a permanent
7 change of station (PCS) assignment of a Service employee
8 within the United States that is more than 50 miles from
9 the employee’s home of record.

10 “(b) RATE OF ALLOWANCE.—The rate of allowance
11 under subsection (a) shall be based on the rank of the
12 employee and the number of eligible family members
13 (EFM) and should, when practicable, align with the basic
14 allowance for housing for members of the uniformed serv-
15 ices under section 403 of title 37, United States Code.

16 “(c) DURATION.—An allowance under subsection (a)
17 shall expire after five consecutive years and may be re-

- 1 started after the employee completes one full assignment
- 2 outside the United States.”.

