AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 7283

OFFERED BY MR. GRIJALVA OF ARIZONA

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the "Safeguarding Treat3 ment for the Restoration of Ecosystems from Abandoned
4 Mines Act" or the "STREAM Act".

5 SEC. 2. ACTIVITIES THAT ARE ELIGIBLE FOR GRANTS

6 FROM THE ABANDONED MINE RECLAMATION 7 FUND.

8 Section 40701(c) of the Infrastructure Investment
9 and Jobs Act (30 U.S.C. 1231a(c)) is amended—

10 (1) by striking "Grants under" and inserting11 the following:

12 "(1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in para13 graph (2), grants under"; and

14 (2) by adding at the end the following:

15 "(2) ACID MINE DRAINAGE ABATEMENT AND
16 TREATMENT.—

17 "(A) IN GENERAL.—Not more than 3018 percent of the total amount of a grant made

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1 annually under subsection (b)(1) may be re-2 tained by the recipient of the grant, if those amounts are deposited into an acid mine drain-3 4 age abatement and treatment fund established 5 under State law, from which amounts (together 6 with all interest earned on the amounts) are expended by the State for the abatement of the 7 8 causes and the treatment of the effects of acid 9 mine drainage resulting from coal mining prac-10 tices, including for the costs of building, oper-11 ating, maintaining, and rehabilitating acid mine 12 drainage treatment systems. 13 "(B) REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.—Each 14 recipient of a grant under subsection (b)(1)15 that deposits grant amounts into an acid mine 16 drainage abatement and treatment fund under 17 subparagraph (A) shall— 18 "(i) offer amendments to the inven-

18 (1) offer amendments to the inven-19 tory maintained under section 403(c) of 20 the Surface Mining Control and Reclama-21 tion Act of 1977 (30 U.S.C. 1233(c)) to 22 reflect the use of the amounts for acid 23 mine drainage abatement and treatment; 24 and 3

"(ii) include in the annual grant re-
port of the recipient information on the
status and balance of amounts in the acid
mine drainage abatement and treatment
fund.
"(C) TERM.—Amounts retained under
subparagraph (A) shall not be subject to—
"(i) subsection $(d)(4)(B)$; or
"(ii) any other limitation on the
length of the term of an annual grant
under subsection (b)(1).".

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