

**Amendment offered by Representative Peltola
to the Westerman Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to H.R. 1335**

At the end, insert the following (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

TITLE ___—TRIBAL CONSULTATION.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the relevant federal agency or agencies shall conduct meaningful timely consultation with Indian Tribes following the procedures of the President’s Memorandum of Uniform Standards for Tribal Consultation, issued on November 30, 2022, for any project or action that requires review pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.).

For purposes of this Title, “Indian Tribe” means—

- (A) Any Indian tribe, band, nation, or other organized group or community, including any Alaska Native village or regional or village corporation as defined in or established pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (43 U.S.C. 1601 et seq.), which is recognized as eligible for the special programs and services provided by the United States to Indians because of their status as Indians; or

- (B) A distinct Native Hawaiian indigenous political community that Congress, exercising its plenary power over Native American affairs, has recognized and with which Congress has implemented a special political and trust relationship.