

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 712**  
**OFFERED BY Mr. Cohen**

Page 3, line 7, strike “; and” and insert “, other than an excepted consent decree or settlement agreement;”.

Page 3, line 18, strike the period and insert “; and”.

Page 3, insert after line 18 the following:

1           (6) the term “excepted consent decree or settle-  
2           ment agreement” means a covered consent decree or  
3           covered settlement agreement that prevents or is in-  
4           tended to prevent discrimination based on race, reli-  
5           gion, national origin, or any other protected cat-  
6           egory.

