

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 5625
OFFERED BY MR. HARRIS OF NORTH CAROLINA

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “Cashless Bail Report-
3 ing Act”.

4 SEC. 2. PUBLICATION OF CASHLESS BAIL JURISDICTIONS.

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than one year after the
6 date of enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter,
7 the Attorney General shall make publicly available a list
8 of each State and unit of local government that permits
9 the release pending trial of a person charged with a cov-
10 ered offense on personal recognizance or upon execution
11 of an unsecured appearance bond.

12 (b) COVERED OFFENSE DEFINED.—In this section,
13 the term “covered offense” means a criminal offense that
14 the Attorney General determines poses a clear threat to
15 public safety and order, including—

16 (1) an offense involving a violent or sexual act,
17 such as murder, rape, sexual assault, carjacking,
18 robbery, burglary, and assault; and

1 (2) an offense that promotes public disorder,
2 such as looting, vandalism, destruction of property,
3 rioting or inciting to riot, or fleeing from a law en-
4 forcement officer.

