AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3684 OFFERED BY MR. LAMALFA OF CALIFORNIA

At the end of subtitle F of title I of division B of the bill, add the following:

1 SEC. ___. EXCLUSION FROM NEPA REQUIREMENTS.

- 2 The Administrator of the Federal Highway Adminis-
- 3 tration shall issue such regulations as are necessary to cre-
- 4 ate a categorical exclusion from the requirements of the
- 5 National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C.
- 6 4321 et seq.) for the repair, reconstruction, restoration,
- 7 retrofitting or replacement of any road, highway, bridge,
- 8 tunnel, or transit facility that occurs within the existing
- 9 right-of-way and in a manner that substantially conforms
- 10 to the pre-existing design, function, and location as the
- 11 original road, highway, bridge, tunnel, or transit facility.

