

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 1823
OFFERED BY MR. TAKANO**

At the end, add the following new section:

1 SEC. 3. USE OF CERTAIN UNEXPENDED FUNDS.

2 Any Federal funds not expended because of the can-
3 cellation, by the United States DOGE Service (commonly
4 referred to the as the “Department of Government Effi-
5 ciency”), of an agreement between the Department of Vet-
6 erans Affairs and a non-Federal entity, shall be used—

7 (1) to furnish hospital care or medical services
8 under chapter 17 of title 38, United States Code; or

9 (2) support programs for employees of the De-
10 partment.

