

**AMENDMENT TO LABOR/HHS/EDUCATION
APPROPRIATIONS BILL
OFFERED BY MS. PINGREE OF MAINE**

Page 110, after line 22, insert the following new section:

1 SEC. 230. To the extent practicable, and so long as
2 it is appropriate and in the best interest of the child, in
3 cases where the Office of Refugee Resettlement of the De-
4 partment of Health and Human Services is responsible for
5 the care of siblings who are unaccompanied alien children
6 (as defined in section 462(g)(2) of the Homeland Security
7 Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 279(g)(2)), the Director of the Of-
8 fice shall place the siblings—
9 (1) in the same facility; or
10 (2) with the same sponsor.

