AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 6472

OFFERED BY MR. MOYLAN OF GUAM

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

- This Act may be cited as the "Territorial Student Ac-
- 3 cess to Higher Education Act".
- 4 SECTION 2. IN-STATE TUITION FOR CERTAIN RESIDENTS
- 5 OF GUAM, THE COMMONWEALTH OF THE
- 6 NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN
- 7 SAMOA, AND THE UNITED STATES VIRGIN IS-
- 8 LANDS.
- 9 (a) IN-STATE TUITION RATES.—Part C of title I of
- 10 the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1015 et
- 11 seq.) is amended by inserting after section 135 the fol-
- 12 lowing:

1	"SEC. 135A. IN-STATE TUITION RATES FOR CERTAIN RESI-
2	DENTS OF GUAM, THE COMMONWEALTH OF
3	THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMER-
4	ICAN SAMOA, AND THE UNITED STATES VIR-
5	GIN ISLANDS.
6	"(a) In General.—A public institution of higher
7	education that receives assistance under this Act shall not
8	charge a covered individual tuition or fees for attendance
9	at such institution at a rate that is greater than the rate
10	charged for residents of the State in which such institution
11	is located.
12	"(b) COVERED INDIVIDUAL.—In this section, the
13	term 'covered individual' means an individual who—
14	"(1) is a resident of Guam, the Commonwealth
15	of the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa,
16	or the United States Virgin Islands; and
17	"(2) is a national of the United States (as such
18	term is defined in section 101(a) of the Immigration
19	and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101(a))).".
20	(b) Program Participation Agreement.—Section
21	487(a) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C.
22	1094(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following:
23	"(30) The institution will comply with the re-
24	quirements of section 135A, as applicable.".

