AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 302
OFFERED BY MRS. CAROLYN B. MALONEY OF
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Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Preventing a Patronage System Act of 2021” or the “PPSA Act of 2021”.

4 SEC. 2. LIMITATIONS ON EXCEPTION OF COMPETITIVE SERVICE POSITIONS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—No position in the competitive service (as defined under section 2102 of title 5, United States Code) may be excepted from the competitive service unless such position is placed—

(1) in any of the schedules A through E as described in section 6.2 of title 5, Code of Federal Regulations, as in effect on September 30, 2020; and

(2) under the terms and conditions under part 6 of such title as in effect on such date.

(b) SUBSEQUENT TRANSFERS.—No position in the excepted service (as defined under section 2103 of title
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1 5, United States Code) may be placed in any schedule
2 other than a schedule described in subsection (a)(1).