

**AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. BUTTERFIELD OF
NORTH CAROLINA TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 8**

In subtitle A of title IV, add at the end the following
new chapter:

**1 CHAPTER 8—ENERGY EFFICIENT HOMES
2 AND RESIDENCES**

3 SEC. 4181. ENERGY EFFICIENT HOMES AND RESIDENCES.

4 (a) ESTABLISHMENT OF GRANT PROGRAM.—The Ad-
5 ministrator of the Environmental Protection Agency shall
6 establish a grant program to subsidize up to 15 percent
7 of the costs borne by landlords to participate in either the
8 ENERGY STAR Home Performance Program or the EN-
9 ERGY STAR New Homes Program.

10 (b) RULEMAKING.—The Administrator and the Sec-
11 retary of Energy shall undertake a rulemaking to deter-
12 mine how landlords can apply for the grant program and
13 how grant funds will be distributed.

