

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 503  
OFFERED BY MR. CONAWAY**

This amendment to H.R. 503 would require the Secretary to compensate any horse owner who, no longer having the option of selling a horse for processing, suffers a loss in value of his horse and incurs the cost of euthanasia and disposal of the horse.

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Page 5, after line 7 insert the following new subsection (and redesignate subsection (e) as subsection (f)):

1       (e) REIMBURSEMENT FOR LOSS OF VALUE OF  
2 HORSES.—Section 11 of the Horse Protection Act (15  
3 U.S.C. 1830) is amended to read as follows:

4       “SEC. 11. The Secretary shall compensate the owner  
5 of an equine who disposes of such equine due to the prohi-  
6 bition under section 5(8). The Secretary shall compensate  
7 such owner for the total amount of—

8               “(1) the loss in value of the equine due to such  
9 prohibition; and

10               “(2) the costs incurred in the disposal of such  
11 equine.”.