

2. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE SESSIONS OF TEXAS, OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES.

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3717, AS REPORTED**  
**OFFERED BY MR. SESSIONS**  
**GAO study**

After section 10 of the bill insert the following section (and redesignate the succeeding sections accordingly):

1 **SEC. 11. GAO STUDY OF INDECENT BROADCASTING COM-**  
2 **PLAINTS.**

3 (a) **INQUIRY AND REPORT REQUIRED.**—The General  
4 Accounting Office shall conduct a study examining—

5 (1) the number of complaints concerning the  
6 broadcasting of obscene, indecent, and profane mate-  
7 rial to the Federal Communications Commission;

8 (2) the number of such complaints that result  
9 in final agency actions by the Commission;

10 (3) the length of time taken by the Commission  
11 in responding to such complaints;

12 (4) what mechanisms the Commission has es-  
13 tablished to receive, investigate, and respond to such  
14 complaints; and

15 (5) whether complainants to the Commission  
16 are adequately informed by the Commission of the  
17 responses to their complaints.



1           (b) SUBMISSION OF REPORT.—The General Account-  
2 ing Office shall submit a report on the results of such  
3 study within one year after the date of enactment of this  
4 Act to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Trans-  
5 portation of the Senate and the Committee on Energy and  
6 Commerce of the House of Representatives.

