AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5136, AS REPORTED

OFFERED BY MR. POLIS OF COLORADO, Rep. Langevin (RI) and Rep. Cohen (Th)

At the end of subtitle B of title III, add the following new section:

| 1 | SEC. 3 EXCEPTION TO ALTERNATIVE FUEL PROCURE- |
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| 2 | MENT REQUIREMENT. |
| 3 | Section 526 of the Energy Independence and Security |
| 4 | Act of 2007 (Public Law 110–140; 42 U.S.C. 17142) is |
| 5 | amended— |
| 6 | (1) by striking "No Federal agency" and insert- |
| 7 | ing "(a) REQUIREMENT.—Except as provided in |
| 8 | subsection (b), no Federal agency"; and |
| 9 | (2) by adding at the end the following: |
| 0 | "(b) Exception.—Subsection (a) does not prohibit |
| .1 | a Federal agency from entering into a contract to pur- |
| 2 | chase a generally available fuel that is not an alternative |
| 3 | or synthetic fuel or predominantly produced from a non- |
| 4 | conventional petroleum source, if— |
| 5 | "(1) the contract does not specifically require |
| 6 | the contractor to provide an alternative or synthetic |
| 7 | fuel or fuel from a nonconventional petroleum |
| 8 | SOURCE: |

| L _. | "(2) the purpose of the contract is not to obtain |
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| 2 | an alternative or synthetic fuel or fuel from a non- |
| 3 | conventional petroleum source; and |
| 1 | "(3) the contract does not provide incentives for |
| 5 | a refinery upgrade or expansion to allow a refinery |
| 5 | to use or increase its use of fuel from a nonconven- |
| 7 | tional petroleum source.". |

