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**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 2309
OFFERED BY MR. TOWNS OF NEW YORK**

Page 31, after line 8, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 109. GAO STUDY AND REPORT.**

2 (a) STUDY.—Not later than 1 year after the date of
3 enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General of the
4 United States shall conduct a study on the effects, with
5 respect to minority communities, of the proposed closures
6 and consolidations of postal retail facilities, mail proc-
7 essing facilities, and area or district offices under this sub-
8 title.

9 (b) REPORT.—Upon completion of the study required
10 under subsection (a), the Comptroller General of the
11 United States shall submit a report to Congress regarding
12 the findings of such study.

