

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
FOR H.R. 3080
OFFERED BY MR. RICHMOND OF LOUISIANA (FOR
HIMSELF AND MR. SCALISE OF LOUISIANA)**

At the end of title I of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____.** **RESTORATION OF FLOOD AND HURRICANE**
2 **STORM DAMAGE REDUCTION PROJECTS.**

3 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary shall carry out any
4 measures necessary to repair or restore federally author-
5 ized flood and hurricane and storm damage reduction
6 projects constructed by the Corps of Engineers to author-
7 ized levels (as of the date of enactment of this Act) of
8 protection for reasons including settlement, subsidence,
9 sea level rise, and new datum, if the Secretary determines
10 the necessary work is technically feasible, environmentally
11 acceptable, and economically justified.

12 (b) **COST SHARE.**—The non-Federal share of the cost
13 of construction of a project carried out under this section
14 shall be determined as provided in subsections (a) through
15 (d) of section 103 of the Water Resources Development
16 Act of 1986 (33 U.S.C. 2213).

17 (c) **OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE.**—The non-Fed-
18 eral share of the cost of operations, maintenance, repair,

1 replacement, and rehabilitation for a project carried out
2 under this section shall be 100 percent.

3 (d) ELIGIBILITY OF PROJECTS TRANSFERRED TO
4 NON-FEDERAL INTEREST.—The Secretary may carry out
5 measures described in subsection (a) on a water resources
6 project, separable element of a project, or functional com-
7 ponent of a project that has been transferred to the non-
8 Federal interest.

9 (e) TERMINATION OF AUTHORITY.—The authority to
10 carry out a measure under this section terminates on the
11 date that is 10 years after the date of enactment of this
12 Act.

13 (f) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
14 authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary to carry
15 out this section \$250,000,000.

