## AMENDMENT TO COMMITTEE PRINT

## OFFERED BY Ms. BEAN OF ILLINOIS and Mr. Foster of Illinois

Page 142, after line 9, insert the following new section:

I	SEC. 1252. REQUIREMENT FOR COUNTERCYCLICAL CAP-
2	ITAL REQUIREMENTS.
3	Section 908(a) of the International Lending Super-
4	vision Act of 1983 (12 U.S.C. 3907(a)) is amended by
5	adding at the end the following new paragraph:
6	"(3) Each appropriate Federal banking agency
7	shall, in establishing capital requirements under this
8	Act or other provisions of federal law for banking in-
9	stitutions, seek to make such requirements counter-
10	cyclical so that the amount of capital required to be
11	maintained by a banking institution increases in
12	times of economic expansion and may decrease in
13	times of economic contraction, consistent with the
14	safety and soundness of the institution.".

