

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
OF H.R. 3309
OFFERED BY MS. DEGETTE OF COLORADO**

Page 15, insert after line 8 the following:

1 (h) EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION SERVICES.—

2 (1) SHORT TITLE.—This subsection may be
3 cited as the “Protect Advanced Communications for
4 Emergency Services Act of 2013” or the “PACES
5 Act”.

6 (2) JURISDICTION FOR CLAIMS REGARDING
7 OTHER EMERGENCY SERVICES.—Section 1498 of
8 title 28, United States Code, is amended by adding
9 at the end the following:

10 “(f) JURISDICTION FOR CLAIMS REGARDING 9–1–1,
11 ENHANCED 9–1–1, OR OTHER EMERGENCY COMMUNICA-
12 TIONS SERVICE.—Beginning after the date of the enact-
13 ment of this subsection, any action under section 271 of
14 title 35 against a wireless carrier subject to section 20.18
15 of title 47, Code of Federal Regulations, or any successor
16 thereto, or an IP-enabled voice service provider subject to
17 section 6(a) of the Wireless Communications and Public
18 Safety Act of 1999 (47 U.S.C. 615a–1(a)), regarding the
19 provision of 9–1–1, enhanced 9–1–1, or other emergency

1 communications service (as defined in section 7 of the
2 Wireless Communications and Public Safety Act of 1999
3 (47 U.S.C. 615b)), shall be filed in accordance with this
4 section.”.

