

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1039, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MRS. DEMINGS OF FLORIDA**

Add, at the end of the bill, the following:

1 SEC. 3. SENSE OF CONGRESS.

2 It is the sense of Congress that the positive contribu-
3 tions of law enforcement officers who serve and protect
4 our communities across the nation, as well as those who
5 have lost their lives in the line of duty, should be recog-
6 nized. Therefore, it is of utmost importance that the full
7 faith and integrity of all entities that work and collaborate
8 with local and state law enforcement, including the Fed-
9 eral Bureau of Investigation, be nonpartisan and coopera-
10 tive of respecting the law, and that the President of the
11 United States, U.S. Attorney General, and Deputy U.S.
12 Attorney General refrain from directly or indirectly inter-
13 fering in the manner in which the Federal Bureau of In-
14 vestigation collaborates with State and local law enforce-
15 ment.

**16 SEC. 4. DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVES-
17 TIGATION ONLY REMOVABLE FOR CAUSE.**

18 Notwithstanding any other provision of law (includ-
19 ing chapter 33 of title 28, United States Code), the Direc-
20 tor of the Federal Bureau of Investigation may be re-

1 moved only for inefficiency, neglect of duty, or malfea-
2 sance in office.

