

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. BABIN OF TEXAS

In title XI, at the end of subtitle F insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . LIMITATION ON TREATMENT OF NONNATIVE SPE-**
2 **CIES IN THE UNITED STATES AS ENDAN-**
3 **GERED SPECIES OR THREATENED SPECIES.**

4 (a) **LIMITATION.**—Section 13 of the Endangered Spe-
5 cies Act of 1973 (relating to amendments to other laws,
6 which have executed) is amended to read as follows:

7 “LIMITATION ON TREATMENT OF CERTAIN SPECIES AS
8 ENDANGERED SPECIES OR THREATENED SPECIES

9 “SEC. 13.

10 “(a) **LIMITATION.**—The species described in sub-
11 section (b) shall not be treated or listed as endangered
12 species or threatened species for purposes of this Act.

13 “(b) **COVERED SPECIES.**—The species referred to in
14 subsection (a) are species that are not native to the United
15 States.”.

16 (b) **CONFORMING AMENDMENT.**—The table of con-
17 tents in the first section of such Act is amended by strik-
18 ing the item relating to section 13 and inserting the fol-
19 lowing:

“Sec. 13. Limitation on treatment of certain species as endangered species or threatened species.”.

