

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-**

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Page 273, strike lines 13 through 19 and insert the following:

1 Section 313(a)(1) of the Consolidated Farm and  
2 Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1943(a)(1)) is amend-  
3 ed—

4 (1) by striking “\$400,000, or, in the case of a  
5 loan guaranteed by the Secretary, \$1,750,000 (in-  
6 creased, beginning with fiscal year 2019” and insert-  
7 ing “\$750,000, or, in the case of a loan guaranteed  
8 by the Secretary, \$3,000,000 (increased, beginning  
9 with fiscal year 2026”;

10 (2) by inserting “, except that, on a finding or  
11 determination of the Secretary that the State or De-  
12 partment of Agriculture administrative region in  
13 which the borrower is located is facing a liquidity  
14 crisis for reasons beyond the control of the operation  
15 of the borrower or the normal business cycle, the  
16 Secretary may increase to \$5,000,000 the limitation  
17 otherwise applicable under this paragraph in the

1 case of a loan guaranteed by the Secretary to the  
2 borrower, before applying the requirement to reduce  
3 the resulting amount by the amount of any unpaid  
4 indebtedness of the borrower on loans under subtitle  
5 B that are guaranteed by the Secretary” before the  
6 period.

