AMENDMENT TO DIVISION A OF RULES
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OFFERED BY MR. BUCHANAN OF FLORIDA

At the end of division A (before the short title), insert the following:

SEC. 1. (a) GRANTS FOR AN INNOVATIVE DEMONSTRATION PILOT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE TRAUMA-INFORMED INTERVENTIONS TO CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN ABUSED, NEGLECTED, OR ABANDONED.—Section 437 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 629g) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(h) GRANTS FOR AN INNOVATIVE DEMONSTRATION PILOT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE TRAUMA-INFORMED INTERVENTIONS TO CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN ABUSED, NEGLECTED, OR ABANDONED.—

“(1) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this subsection is to facilitate the development of an innovative pilot demonstration program to provide trauma-informed interventions to children who have been abused, neglected, or abandoned.

“(2) APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS.—An entity that desires a grant under this subsection shall sub-
mit to the Secretary an application containing the following:

“(A) A description of the goals and outcomes to be achieved during the period for which grant funds are sought

“(B) A description of the activities to be funded in whole or in part with the grant funds, including the sequencing of the activities.

“(C) A description of collaboration with entities that provide research rooted in brain science to develop effective trauma-informed interventions for children who have experienced abuse, neglect, or abandonment.

“(D) Such other information as the Secretary may require.

“(3) GRANT AUTHORITY.—The Secretary may make a grant to a State that complies with paragraph (2).”.

(b) RESERVATION OF FUNDS FOR A PILOT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE TRAUMA-INFORMED INTERVENTIONS TO CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN ABUSED, NEGLECTED, OR ABANDONED.—Section 437(b) of such Act (42 U.S.C. 629g(b)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(4) PILOT PROGRAM TO PROVIDE TRAUMA-INFORMED INTERVENTIONS TO CHILDREN WHO HAVE
BEEN ABUSED, NEGLECTED, OR ABANDONED.—The Secretary shall reserve $5,000,000 of the amount made available for fiscal year 2020 for grants under subsection (g), and the amount so reserved shall remain available through fiscal year 2023.”.