

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1734, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. BUTTERFIELD OF NORTH
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Page 47, after line 5, insert the following:

1 “(m) EFFECT ON VULNERABLE POPULATIONS.—If
2 the Administrator determines that implementation of this
3 section would diminish protections for vulnerable popu-
4 lations, the requirements of this section shall have no force
5 or effect.

Page 47, line 6, redesignate subsection (m) as sub-
section (n).

Page 50, line 17, strike the closed quotation mark
and the final period.

Page 50, after line 17, insert the following:

6 “(9) VULNERABLE POPULATION.—The term
7 ‘vulnerable population’ means a population that is
8 subject to a disproportionate exposure to, or poten-
9 tial for a disproportionate adverse effect from expo-
10 sure to, coal combustion residuals, including—
11 “(A) infants, children, and adolescents;

1 “(B) pregnant women (including effects on
2 fetal development);

3 “(C) the elderly;

4 “(D) individuals with preexisting medical
5 conditions;

6 “(E) individuals who work at coal combus-
7 tion residuals treatment or disposal facilities;
8 and

9 “(F) members of any other appropriate
10 population identified by the Administrator
11 based on consideration of—

12 “(i) socioeconomic status;

13 “(ii) racial or ethnic background; or

14 “(iii) other similar factors identified
15 by the Administrator.”.

