AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117–13
OFFERED BY MR. CICILLINE OF RHODE ISLAND

At the end of subtitle B of title XIV of division A, insert the following:

SEC. 1111. ESTABLISHMENT OF SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL COMMISSION.

(a) Establishment.—Section 15301(a) of title 40, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(4) The Southern New England Regional Commission.”.

(b) Designation of Region.—

(1) In general.—Subchapter II of chapter 157 of such title is amended by adding at the end the following:

“§ 15734. Southern New England Regional Commission

“The region of the Southern New England Regional Commission shall include the following counties:

“(1) Rhode Island.—Each county in the State of Rhode Island.

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“(3) MASSACHUSETTS.—The counties of Hampden, Plymouth, Barnstable, Essex, Worcester, and Bristol in the State of Massachusetts.”.

(2) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The analysis for Subchapter II of chapter 157 of such title is amended by adding at the end the following:

“15734. Southern New England Regional Commission.”.

(c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—The authorization of appropriations in section 15751 of title 40, United States Code, shall apply with respect to the Southern New England Regional Commission beginning with fiscal year 2022.