

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
FOR H.R. 1806
OFFERED BY MR. CONNOLLY OF VIRGINIA**

Page 71, after line 13, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 308. ENCOURAGING FEDERAL SCIENTISTS AND ENGI-**
2 **NEERS TO PARTICIPATE IN STEM EDU-**
3 **CATION.**

4 Not later than 6 months after the date of enactment
5 of this Act, the Director of the Office of Science and Tech-
6 nology Policy, in consultation with the Department of
7 Education, shall develop a policy to—

8 (1) increase volunteerism in STEM education
9 activities by encouraging scientists and engineers
10 from Federal science agencies conducting non-
11 military scientific research and development, includ-
12 ing scientists and engineers of the federally funded
13 research and development centers supported by
14 those agencies, to volunteer in STEM education ac-
15 tivities, and by providing administrative support for
16 such scientists and engineers to engage in such vol-
17 unteerism; and

1 (2) support increased communication and part-
2 nerships between scientists and engineers from Fed-
3 eral science agencies conducting nonmilitary sci-
4 entific research and development, including scientists
5 and engineers of the federally funded research and
6 development centers supported by those agencies,
7 and elementary and secondary schools and teachers
8 through volunteerism in STEM education activities.

