

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5620
OFFERED BY MS. FRANKEL OF FLORIDA

Page 54, after line 2, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 11. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING AMERICAN VET-**
2 **ERANS DISABLED FOR LIFE.**

3 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

4 (1) There are at least 3,600,000 veterans cur-
5 rently living with service-connected disabilities.

6 (2) As a result of their service, many veterans
7 are permanently disabled throughout their lives and
8 in many cases must rely on the support of their fam-
9 ilies and friends when these visible and invisible bur-
10 dens become too much to bear alone.

11 (3) October 5, which is the anniversary of the
12 dedication of the American Veterans Disabled for
13 Life Memorial, has been recognized as an appro-
14 priate day on which to honor American veterans dis-
15 abled for life each year.

16 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—Congress—

17 (1) expresses its appreciation to the men and
18 women left permanently wounded, ill, or injured as
19 a result of their service in the Armed Forces;

1 (2) supports the annual recognition of Amer-
2 ican veterans disabled for life; and

3 (3) encourages the American people to honor
4 American veterans disabled for life each year with
5 appropriate programs and activities.

