

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT  
OF H.R. 1947**

**OFFERED BY MS. FOXX OF NORTH CAROLINA**

**[2013 Farm Bill]**

At the end of subtitle C of title XII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 12\_\_\_\_\_ . SUNSETTING OF PROGRAMS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to subsection (b), each  
3 fiscal year the Secretary of Agriculture may not carry out  
4 any program—

5 (1) for which an authorization of appropriations  
6 is established or extended under this Act; and

7 (2) that is funded by discretionary appropria-  
8 tions (as defined in section 250(c) of the Balanced  
9 Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985  
10 (2 U.S.C. 900(c))).

11 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Subsection (a) shall take ef-  
12 fect with respect to a program referred to in such sub-  
13 section on the date on which the authorization of appro-  
14 priations under this Act for such program expires.

15 (c) EXISTING OBLIGATIONS.—Subsection (a) does  
16 not affect the ability of the Secretary to carry out respon-  
17 sibilities with regard to loans, grants, or other obligations

- 1 made or in existence before an applicable effective date
- 2 under subsection (b).

