AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4776, AS REPORTED OFFERED BY MR. GOTTHEIMER OF NEW JERSEY

Page 5, strike line 12 and all that follows through line 23, and insert the following:

"(c) Scope of Review.—In preparing an environmental document for a proposed agency action, a Federal
agency is only required to consider those effects that share
a reasonably close causal relationship to, and are proximately caused by, the immediate project or action under
consideration, to comply with the requirements of this
Act.".

Beginning on page 22, strike line 20 and all that follows through page 23, line 10, and insert the following:

"(15) Reasonably foreseeable.—To comply with the requirements of this Act, the term 'reasonably foreseeable', with respect to environmental effects of a proposed agency action, means effects that share a reasonably close causal relationship to, and are proximately caused by, the immediate project or action under consideration.".

