AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1473
OFFERED BY MS. LEE OF CALIFORNIA

(Department of Defense and Full-Year Continuing Appropriations Act, 2011)

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

SEC. ____. (a) Funds appropriated or otherwise made available under this Act for operations of the Armed Forces in Afghanistan shall be obligated and expended only for purposes of providing for the safe and orderly withdrawal from Afghanistan of all members of the Armed Forces and Department of Defense contractor personnel who are in Afghanistan.

(b) Nothing in this section shall be construed—

(1) to authorize the use of funds for the continuation of combat operations in Afghanistan while carrying out the safe and orderly withdrawal from Afghanistan of all members of the Armed Forces and Department of Defense contractor personnel who are in Afghanistan; and

(2) to prohibit or otherwise restrict the use of funds available to any department or agency of the United States to carry out diplomatic efforts or hu-
manitarian, development, or general reconstruction activities in Afghanistan.