

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4**  
**OFFERED BY MS. MENG OF NEW YORK**

Page 182, after line 10, insert the following:

1 **SEC. \_\_\_\_ . REFUNDS FOR DELAYED OR LOST BAGGAGE.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the  
3 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Transpor-  
4 tation shall require a common carrier or foreign common  
5 carrier to promptly provide to a passenger an automated  
6 refund for any ancillary fees paid by the passenger for  
7 checked baggage if—

8 (1) the common carrier or foreign common car-  
9 rier fails to deliver the checked baggage to the pas-  
10 senger—

11 (A) not later than 12 hours after domestic  
12 travel arrival; or

13 (B) not later than 15 hours after inter-  
14 national travel arrival; and

15 (2) the passenger has notified the common car-  
16 rier or foreign common carrier of the lost or delayed  
17 checked baggage.

18 (b) EXCEPTION.—If the Secretary makes a deter-  
19 mination that a requirement under subsection (a) is not  
20 feasible and would adversely affect consumers in certain

1 cases, the Secretary may modify the deadlines specified  
2 in subsection (a)(1) for such cases, except that—

3 (1) the deadline relating to domestic travel may  
4 not exceed 18 hours after arrival; and

5 (2) the deadline relating to international travel  
6 may not exceed 30 hours after arrival.

