

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1249, AS REPORTED**  
**OFFERED BY MS. MOORE OF WISCONSIN**

Page 139, insert the following after line 12 and redesignate succeeding sections (and conform the table of contents) accordingly:

**1 SEC. 29. ESTABLISHMENT OF METHODS FOR STUDYING**  
**2 THE DIVERSITY OF APPLICANTS.**

3 The Director shall, not later than the end of the 6-  
4 month period beginning on the date of the enactment of  
5 this Act, establish methods for studying the diversity of  
6 patent applicants, including those applicants who are mi-  
7 norities, women, or veterans. The Director shall not use  
8 the results of such study to provide any preferential treat-  
9 ment to patent applicants.

