

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119–**8****OFFERED BY MS. WATERS OF CALIFORNIA**

At the end of subtitle B of title XVII, add the following new section:

1 SEC. 17____. AFFORDABLE HOUSING CONSTRUCTION AS EL-
2 IGIBLE ACTIVITY UNDER COMMUNITY DE-
3 VELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM.

4 (a) ELIGIBLE ACTIVITY.—Subsection (a) of section
5 105 of the Housing and Community Development Act of
6 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5305(a)) is amended—

7 (1) in paragraph (25)(D), by striking “and” at
8 the end;

9 (2) in paragraph (26), by striking the period at
10 the end and inserting “; and”; and

11 (3) by adding at the end the following new
12 paragraph:

13 “(27) the new construction of affordable hous-
14 ing, within the meaning given such term under sec-
15 tion 215 of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Afford-
16 able Housing Act (42 U.S.C. 12745).”.

17 (b) LOW AND MODERATE INCOME REQUIREMENT.—
18 Paragraph (3) of section 105(c) of the Housing and Com-

1 munity Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5305(c)(3))
2 is amended by striking “or rehabilitation” and inserting
3 “, rehabilitation, or new construction”.

4 (c) APPLICABILITY.—The amendments made by this
5 section shall apply with respect only to amounts appro-
6 priated after the date of the enactment of this Act.

