

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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Page 386, after line 19, insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF PASSENGER FACIL-**
2 **ITY CHARGES DURING EMERGENCIES.**

3 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—If the President declares that a
4 major disaster or emergency exists with respect to an area
5 under section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Re-
6 lief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5170), the
7 Secretary of Transportation may require an entity that
8 imposes a covered charge, with respect to an airport serv-
9 ing the area, to suspend imposing the charge for a period
10 not to exceed 30 days.

11 (b) **COVERED CHARGE DEFINED.**—In this section,
12 the term “covered charge” means a passenger facility
13 charge authorized by the Secretary under section 40117
14 of title 49, United States Code.

