

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 467, AS REPORTED

OFFERED BY M____. _____

Add at the end of the bill the following:

1 **SEC. 7. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

2 It is the sense of the Congress that—

3 (1) the fentanyl crisis disproportionately impacts
4 American Indian and Alaska Native communities;

5 (2) according to the Centers for Disease Con-
6 trol and Prevention—

7 (A) American Indian and Alaska Native
8 populations have the highest rate of fentanyl
9 overdose death of any racial group;

10 (B) in both 2020 and 2021, American In-
11 dian and Alaska Native populations had the
12 highest drug overdose death rates; and

13 (C) American Indian and Alaska Native
14 populations experienced a 33 percent increase
15 in overdose deaths from 2020 to 2021; and

16 (3) addressing the fentanyl crisis will require
17 confronting the health disparities that make Amer-
18 ican Indian and Alaska Native communities vulner-
19 able to fentanyl.

