

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1**  
**OFFERED BY MR. STANTON OF ARIZONA**

Amend division A by adding at the end the following:

**1 SEC. 10017. ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION**  
**2 BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM.**

**3 (a) PURPOSE.**—Section 542(b)(1) of the Energy  
**4 Independence and Security Act of 2007 (42 U.S.C.**  
**5 17152(b)(1)) is amended—**

**6 (1) in subparagraph (A), by striking “; and”**  
**7 and inserting a semicolon;**

**8 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking the semi-**  
**9 colon and inserting “; and”; and**

**10 (3) by adding at the end the following:**

**11 “(C) diversifies energy supplies, including**  
**12 by facilitating and promoting the use of alter-**  
**13 native fuels;”.**

**14 (b) USE OF FUNDS.**—Section 544(9) of the Energy  
**15 Independence and Security Act of 2007 (42 U.S.C.**  
**16 17154(9)) is amended to read as follows:**

**17 “(9) deployment of energy distribution tech-**  
**18 nologies that significantly increase energy efficiency**  
**19 or expand access to alternative fuels, including—**

1 “(A) distributed resources;

2 “(B) district heating and cooling systems;

3 and

4 “(C) infrastructure for delivering alter-  
5 native fuels;”.

6 (c) COMPETITIVE GRANTS.—Section 546(c)(2) of the  
7 Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (42  
8 U.S.C. 17156(c)(2)) is amended by inserting “, including  
9 projects to expand the use of alternative fuels” before the  
10 period at the end.

11 (d) FUNDING.—Section 548(a) of the Energy Inde-  
12 pendence and Security Act of 2007 (42 U.S.C. 17158(a))  
13 is amended to read as follows:

14 “(a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

15 “(1) GRANTS.—There is authorized to be ap-  
16 propriated to the Secretary to carry out the program  
17 \$3,500,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2024  
18 through 2028.

19 “(2) ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS.—The Secretary  
20 may use for administrative expenses of the program  
21 not more than 1 percent of the amounts made avail-  
22 able under paragraph (1) in each of fiscal years  
23 2024 through 2028.”.

1 (e) TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.—Section 543 of the  
2 Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (42  
3 U.S.C. 17153) is amended—

4 (1) in subsection (c), by striking “subsection  
5 (a)(2)” and inserting “subsection (a)(3)”; and

6 (2) in subsection (d), by striking “subsection  
7 (a)(3)” and inserting “subsection (a)(4)”.

