Amendment to H.R. 5620, as Reported Offered by Mr. Kildee of Michigan

Add at the end the following new section:

1	SEC. 11. CONTINUATION OF CERTAIN MONTHLY STIPENDS
2	FOR VETERANS AFFECTED BY SCHOOL CLO-
3	SURE.
4	(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3680(a) of such title is
5	amended—
6	(1) by striking the matter after paragraph
7	(3)(B);
8	(2) in paragraph (3) , by redesignating subpara-
9	graphs (A) and (B) as clauses (i) and (ii), respec-
10	tively;
11	(3) by redesignating paragraphs (1) through
12	(3) as subparagraphs (A) through (C), respectively;
13	(4) in the matter before subparagraph (A), as
14	redesignated, in the first sentence, by striking "Pay-
15	ment of" and inserting " (1) Except as provided in
16	paragraph (2), payment of"; and
17	(5) by adding at the end the following new
18	paragraph (2):
19	((2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1) , the Secretary
20	may, pursuant to such regulations as the Secretary shall

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prescribe, continue to pay allowances to eligible veterans
 and eligible persons enrolled in courses set forth in para graph (1)(A)—

4 "(A) during periods when schools are tempo5 rarily closed under an established policy based on an
6 Executive order of the President or due to an emer7 gency situation, except that the total number of
8 weeks for which allowances may continue to be so
9 payable in any 12-month period may not exceed four
10 weeks; or

11 "(B) solely for the purpose of awarding a 12 monthly housing stipend described in section 3313 13 of this title, during periods following a permanent 14 school closure, except that payment of such a sti-15 pend may only be continued for four months after 16 the date of the school closure.".

17 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Paragraph
18 (1)(C)(ii) of such section, as redesignated, is amended by
19 striking "described in subclause (A) of this clause" and
20 inserting "described in clause (ii)".

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