

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
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OFFERED BY MS. VELÁZQUEZ OF NEW YORK**

Page 629, after line 4, insert the following:

1 **SEC. _____ . URBAN AGRICULTURE COORDINATION.**

2 The Secretary of Agriculture shall coordinate oppor-
3 tunities for urban agriculture, by—

4 (1) compiling a list of all programs adminis-
5 tered by the Secretary or by the head of any other
6 department, agency, or instrumentality of the United
7 States to which urban farmers can apply for assist-
8 ance or participation;

9 (2) examining and implementing opportunities
10 to adjust the regulations governing the programs to
11 enable urban farmers to participate in more of the
12 programs;

13 (3) developing a process for streamlining the
14 process by which urban farmers may apply for as-
15 sistance from, or for participation in, the programs,
16 including through the use of a single, harmonized
17 application for multiple programs; and

1 (4) such other methods as the Secretary deems
2 appropriate.

