

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5303
OFFERED BY MR. FARENTHOLD OF TEXAS

At the end of title I, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . REIMBURSEMENT COSTS OF CERTAIN PRIVATE**
2 **AID-TO-NAVIGATION PROJECTS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
4 sion of law, and subject to subsections (b) and (c) and
5 the availability of appropriated funds, the Commandant
6 of the Coast Guard may reimburse a non-Federal entity
7 for costs incurred by the entity for a project to establish
8 a private aid to navigation that is determined by the Com-
9 mandant to be required as a result of the completion of
10 a Corps of Engineers dredging or channel alteration
11 project.

12 (b) CONDITIONS.—The Commandant may not pro-
13 vide such reimbursement for a project unless—

14 (1) the Commandant approves the design of the
15 project before construction under the project begins;

16 (2) all permits required for the project under
17 Federal and State law have been issued; and

18 (3) the Commandant determines that the aid to
19 navigation fulfills such additional requirements as
20 may be established by the Commandant.

1 (c) LIMITATION ON AMOUNT.—The amount of such
2 reimbursement for a project may not exceed \$5,000,000.

