

AMENDMENT TO COMMITTEE PRINT #1
OFFERED BY MR. RUSH OF ILLINOIS

Page 52, line 3, insert “(a) AMENDMENT.—” before “Section 422”.

Page 52, after line 9, insert the following new subsection:

1 (b) SUSTAINABLE ENERGY RESOURCES FOR CON-
2 SUMERS GRANTS.—(1) The Secretary of Energy may
3 make funding available to local Weatherization agencies
4 from amounts authorized under the amendment made by
5 subsection (a) to expand the weatherization assistance
6 program for residential buildings to include materials,
7 benefits, and renewable and domestic energy technologies
8 not currently covered by the program, provided that the
9 state Weatherization grantee has certified that the appli-
10 cant has the capacity to carry out the proposed activities
11 and that the grantee will include the project in its finan-
12 cial oversight of the Weatherization Assistance program.
13 (2) In selecting the grants, the program shall give
14 priority to—

1 (A) the expected effectiveness and benefits of
2 the proposed project to low- and moderate income
3 energy consumers;

4 (B) the potential for replication of successful
5 results;

6 (C) the impact on the health and safety and en-
7 ergy costs of those served; and

8 (D) the extent of partnerships with other public
9 and private entities that contribute to the resources
10 and implementation of the program, including finan-
11 cial partnerships.

12 (3) Funding for such projects may equal up to two
13 percent of funding in any fiscal year, provided that no
14 funding is utilized for Sustainable Energy Resources for
15 Consumers grants in any fiscal year in which Weatheriza-
16 tion appropriations are less than \$275,000,000.