

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To prohibit the cancellation of contracts for physical barriers and other border security measures for which funds already have been obligated and for which penalties will be incurred in the case of such cancellation and prohibiting the use of funds for payment of such penalties.

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To ensure that certain Federal infrastructure programs require the use of materials produced in the United States, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and
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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. JOHNSON

Viz:

- 1 At the appropriate place, insert the following:
- 2 **SEC. ____ . PROHIBITING THE CANCELLATION OF CERTAIN**
- 3 **CONTRACTS FOR PHYSICAL BARRIERS AND**
- 4 **OTHER BORDER SECURITY MEASURES.**

5 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Sec-
6 retary of Homeland Security and any other Federal offi-
7 cial may not—

- 8 (1) cancel, invalidate, or breach any contract
- 9 for the construction or improvement of any physical

1 barrier along the United States border or for any
2 other border security measures for which Federal
3 funds have been obligated; or

4 (2) obligate the use of Federal funds to pay any
5 penalty resulting from the cancellation of any con-
6 tract described in paragraph (1).