AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 2142 OFFERED BY MR. ISSA OF CALIFORNIA

At the end of the bill add the following new section:

| 1 | SEC. 9. ADDITIONS TO PERFORMANCE PLAN. |
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| 2 | Section 1115(a) of title 31, United States Code, is |
| 3 | amended— |
| 4 | (1) in paragraph (5), by striking "and"; |
| 5 | (2) in paragraph (6), by striking the period and |
| 6 | inserting "; and; and |
| 7 | (3) by inserting after paragraph (6) the fol- |
| 8 | lowing new paragraphs: |
| 9 | "(7) describe the existence and current scope of |
| 10 | the problem that the program is intended to address, |
| 11 | defined as an outcome that addresses the needs of |
| 12 | the American people, not an input (such as staffing |
| 13 | or resources expended) or an intermediate goal (such |
| 14 | as teachers or police hired); |
| 15 | "(8) to the extent practicable, take into account |
| 16 | the other efforts (if any) being made in Federal, |
| 17 | State or local governments or the private sector to |
| 18 | address the problem described under paragraph (7) |
| 19 | and the relative cost-effectiveness of such efforts; |

| 1 | "(9) if the program is not new, describe the |
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| 2 | amount of funds expended in the previous year and |
| 3 | state the progress made in the previous year toward |
| 4 | solving the problem described under paragraph (7), |
| 5 | including evidence of whether the problem is increas- |
| 6 | ing, decreasing, or staying the same; |
| 7 | "(10) describe the specific level of improvement |
| 8 | expected to be made toward addressing the problem |
| 9 | described under paragraph (7); and |
| 10 | "(11) state the long-term goal for the program |
| 11 | and when that goal is expected to be achieved or the |
| 12 | problem described under paragraph (7) reduced to |
| 13 | an acceptable level.". |
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In the table of contents in section (1)(b), insert after the item relating to section 8 the following:

Sec. 9. Additions to performance plan.

Section 1120(b)(1) of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 5, is amended by inserting after "subsection (a)" the following: "and toward achieving the annual performance goals for each program activity established pursuant to section 1115(a)(1) of this title".

Section 1120(b)(2) of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 5, is amended by in-

serting after "subsection (a)" the following: "and the annual performance goals for each program activity established pursuant to section 1115(a)(1) of this title".

Section 1120(c) of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 5, is amended by inserting after "subsection (a)" the following: "and toward achieving the annual performance goals for each program activity established pursuant to section 1115(a)(1) of this title".

Section 1120(d)(2) of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 5, is amended by inserting after "goals being assessed" the following: "under subsection (a) and the annual performance goals for each program activity established pursuant to section 1115(a)(1) of this title".

Section 1120(d)(3) of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 5, is amended by inserting after "adjustment of goals" the following: "under subsection (a) and the annual performance goals for each program activity established pursuant to section 1115(a)(1) of this title".

Section 1120(e)(2) of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 5, is amended in the

matter preceding subparagraph (A) by inserting "and section 1115 of this title" after "goals in this section".

Section 1121 of title 31, United States Code, as proposed to be added by section 7, is amended—

- (1) by striking the quotation marks and the final period at the end of subsection (b)(5)(B); and
- (2) by adding at the end the following new subsection:
- 1 "(c) Additional Duties of the Council.—The
- 2 Council—
- 3 "(1) shall develop a website for Federal agency
- 4 performance information;
- 5 "(2) shall link program performance informa-
- 6 tion to program spending information on the website
- 7 www.USASpending.gov; and
- 8 "(3) shall submit a report to Congress on the
- 9 feasibility of creating a single web-based platform
- for all Government spending information and all
- 11 program performance information.".

Section 8(a)(2) is amended—

(1) in subparagraph (A), by inserting after "selection of goals" the following: ", identified pursuant to section 1120(a) of title 31, United States Code,

as added by section 5, and established pursuant to section 1115 of such title,";

- (2) in subparagraph (C), by inserting after "agency performance goals" the following: ", identified pursuant to section 1120(a) of title 31, United States Code, as added by section 5, and established pursuant to section 1115 of such title,";
 - (3) in subparagraph (D)—
 - (A) by inserting after "revision of goals" the following: ", identified pursuant to section 1120(a) of title 31, United States Code, as added by section 5, and established pursuant to section 1115 of such title,"; and
 - (B) by inserting "and program" after "agency"; and
- (4) in subparagraph (G), by inserting "and programs" after "agencies".

Section 8(a)(2) is amended by inserting at the end the following new subparagraphs:

| 1 | (I) Whether the annual performance plan |
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| 2 | established pursuant to section 1115 of title 31, |
| 3 | United States Code, conforms with the require- |
| 4 | ments for such plans described in paragraphs |
| 5 | (1) through (11) of section 1115(a) of such |
| 6 | title. |

| 1 | (J) The progress each agency has made in |
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| 2 | achieving the goals identified pursuant to sec- |
| 3 | tion 1120(a) of title 31, United States Code, as |
| 4 | added by section 5, and established pursuant to |
| 5 | section 1115 of such title. |

Section 8(b) is amended in the first sentence by inserting after "The Comptroller General" the following: "shall consult with the Inspectors General when evaluating program and agency performance and".

