

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-**

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Page 1714, after line 2, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 60016. FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY**  
2 **EMERGENCY FOOD AND SHELTER GRANT**  
3 **PROGRAM.**

4 (a) **ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES.**—Subsection (a) of section  
5 313 of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42  
6 U.S.C. 11343(a)) is amended—

7 (1) in paragraph (1), by inserting “hygiene,”  
8 after “food,”;

9 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “and” at the  
10 end; and

11 (3) by striking paragraph (3) and inserting the  
12 following new paragraphs:

13 “(3) to conduct rehabilitation of existing shelter  
14 or feeding facilities to ensure such facilities are safe,  
15 sanitary, and in compliance with local building  
16 codes;

17 “(4) to provide flexible and appropriate access  
18 to temporary shelter;

1           “(5) to build and maintain new forms of safe  
2           and sanitary shelters, including tiny homes; and

3           “(6) to provide supports, including shelter,  
4           transitional housing, and specialized medical respite  
5           shelter and associated services to homeless or hous-  
6           ing-unstable elderly persons, persons with disabil-  
7           ities, and persons who are or have been sick or in-  
8           jured, and to persons are who are being discharged  
9           or who have recently been discharged from hospitals,  
10          nursing facilities or similar facilities”.

11          (b) DISTRIBUTION OF AMOUNTS.—Paragraph (2) of  
12          section 316(a) of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assist-  
13          ance Act (42 U.S.C. 11346(a)(2)) is amended by inserting  
14          before the semicolon the following: “, which shall provide  
15          for consideration of regional variation in housing costs and  
16          costs of living, rates of homelessness and housing insta-  
17          bility, and income inequality”.

