

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4348

OFFERED BY MR. BOUSTANY OF LOUISIANA

At the end of the bill, add the following (and conform the table of contents of the bill accordingly):

1 **TITLE IV—HARBOR**
2 **MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS**

3 **SEC. 401. FUNDING FOR HARBOR MAINTENANCE PRO-**
4 **GRAMS.**

5 (a) HARBOR MAINTENANCE TRUST FUND GUAR-
6 ANTEE.—

7 (1) IN GENERAL.—The total budget resources
8 for a fiscal year shall be equal to the level of receipts
9 for harbor maintenance for that fiscal year. Such
10 amounts shall be used only for harbor maintenance
11 programs.

12 (2) GUARANTEE.—No funds may be appro-
13 priated for harbor maintenance programs unless the
14 amount under paragraph (1) has been provided for
15 all such programs.

16 (b) DEFINITIONS.—In this section, the following defi-
17 nitions apply:

18 (1) HARBOR MAINTENANCE PROGRAMS.—The
19 term “harbor maintenance programs” means ex-

1 penditures under section 9505(c)(1) of the Internal
2 Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to expenditures
3 from the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund).

4 (2) LEVEL OF RECEIPTS FOR HARBOR MAINTEN-
5 NANCE.—The term “level of receipts for harbor
6 maintenance” means the level of taxes credited to
7 the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund under section
8 9505(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986
9 for a fiscal year as set forth in the President’s budg-
10 et baseline projection as defined in section 257 of
11 the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control
12 Act of 1985 (Public Law 99–177) for that fiscal
13 year submitted pursuant to section 1105 of title 31,
14 United States Code, reduced by the amount re-
15 quested in such President’s budget for payments de-
16 scribed in section 9505(c)(3) of the Internal Rev-
17 enue Code of 1986.

18 (3) TOTAL BUDGET RESOURCES.—The term
19 “total budget resources” means the total amount
20 made available by appropriations Acts from the Har-
21 bor Maintenance Trust Fund for a fiscal year for
22 making expenditures under section 9505(c)(1) of the
23 Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

