

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To create a point of order against legislation relating to the regulation of greenhouse gases, including carbon dioxide emissions, until the date on which the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, the Energy Information Administration, and Secretary of Commerce certify in writing that each of the People's Republic of China, the Republic of India, and Russia have proposed, implemented, and enforced measures requiring greenhouse gas, including carbon dioxide, emission reductions that are substantially similar to carbon dioxide emissions reductions proposed for the United States.

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Setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2014, revising the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal year 2013, and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2015 through 2023.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and
ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by _____

Viz:

1 At the end of subtitle A of title IV, add the following:

1 **SEC. 4** ____ . **POINT OF ORDER AGAINST LEGISLATION RE-**
2 **LATING TO THE REGULATION OF GREEN-**
3 **HOUSE GASES UNTIL CHINA, INDIA, AND RUS-**
4 **SIA IMPLEMENT AND ENFORCE SIMILAR**
5 **MEASURES.**

6 (a) POINT OF ORDER.—It shall not be in order in
7 the Senate to consider any bill, joint resolution, motion,
8 amendment, amendment between the Houses, or con-
9 ference report relating to the provision of appropriations
10 for any of fiscal years 2014 through 2023 for the regula-
11 tion of greenhouse gas emissions, including carbon dioxide
12 emissions, until the date on which the Administrator of
13 the Environmental Protection Agency, the Administrator
14 of the Energy Information Administration, and the Sec-
15 retary of Commerce certify in writing that each of the Peo-
16 ple’s Republic of China, the Republic of India, and Russia
17 have proposed, implemented, and enforced measures that
18 require carbon dioxide emissions reductions that are sub-
19 stantially similar to carbon dioxide emission reductions
20 proposed for the United States.

21 (b) WAIVER AND APPEAL.—Subsection (a) may be
22 waived or suspended in the Senate only by an affirmative
23 vote of three-fifths of the Members, duly chosen and
24 sworn. An affirmative vote of three-fifths of the Members
25 of the Senate, duly chosen and sworn, shall be required

- 1 to sustain an appeal of the ruling of the Chair on a point
- 2 of order raised under subsection (a).