

12 AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY
REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG OF
FLORIDA, OR HIS DESIGNEE,
DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES.

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**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3973, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. YOUNG OF FLORIDA**

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At the end, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. . CHANGE OF FISCAL YEAR.**

2 (a) FISCAL YEAR TO BEGIN NOVEMBER 1.—Section
3 1102 of title 31, United States Code, is amended by strik-
4 ing “October 1” and inserting “November 1” and by strik-
5 ing “September 30” and inserting “October 31”.

6 (b) TITLE OF APPROPRIATION ACTS.—Section 105
7 of title 1, United States Code, is amended by striking
8 “September 30” and inserting “October 31”.

9 (c) TRANSITION TO NEW FISCAL YEAR.—(1) As soon
10 as practicable, the President shall prepare and submit to
11 the Congress—

12 (A) after consultation with the Committees on
13 Appropriations of the House of Representatives and
14 the Senate, budget estimates for the United States
15 Government for the period commencing October 1,
16 2005, and ending October 31, 2005, in such form
17 and detail as he may determine; and

18 (B) propose legislation he considers appropriate
19 with respect to changes in law necessary to provide
20 authorizations of appropriations for that period.

1 (2) The Director of the Office of Management and
2 Budget shall provide, by regulation or otherwise, for the
3 orderly transition of all departments, agencies, and instru-
4 mentalities of the United States Government and the gov-
5 ernment of the District of Columbia from the use of the
6 fiscal year in effect on the date of enactment of this Act
7 to the use of the new fiscal year prescribed by section 1102
8 of title 31, United States Code, (as amended by subsection
9 (a)). The Director shall prepare and submit to the Con-
10 gress such additional proposed legislation as he considers
11 necessary to accomplish this objective.

12 (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section and the amend-
13 ments made by it (except for subsection (c)) apply to fiscal
14 year 2006 and subsequent fiscal years.