

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE  
TO H.J. RES. 10, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MR. WATT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

Strike all after the resolving clause and insert the following:

1 That the following article is proposed as an amendment  
2 to the Constitution of the United States, which shall be  
3 valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitu-  
4 tion when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of  
5 the several States within seven years after the date of its  
6 submission for ratification:

7 "ARTICLE —

8 "Not inconsistent with the first article of amendment  
9 to this Constitution, the Congress shall have power to pro-  
10 hibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United  
11 States."

