AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2647, AS REPORTED

OFFERED BY MR. TIERNEY OF MASSACHUSETTS

At the end of subtitle C of title II (page 67, after line 5), insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 227. STUDY ON DISCRIMINATION CAPABILITIES OF**
2 **MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEM.**

3 (a) STUDY.—The Secretary of Defense shall enter
4 into an arrangement with the JASON Defense Advisory
5 Panel under which JASON shall carry out a study on the
6 technical and scientific feasibility of the discrimination ca-
7 pabilities of the missile defense system of the United
8 States, as such system is designed and conceived as of the
9 date of the study.

10 (b) REPORT.—Not later than one year after the date
11 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall submit
12 to the appropriate congressional committees a report on
13 the study.

14 (c) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-
15 FINED.—In this section, the term "appropriate congres-
16 sional committees" means the following:

17 (1) The Committees on Armed Services, Appro-
18 priations, and Oversight and Government Reform of
19 the House of Representatives.

1 (2) The Committees on Armed Services, Appro-
2 priations, and Homeland Security and Governmental
3 Affairs of the Senate.