

9. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
MARKEY OF MASSACHUSETTS OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE  
FOR 10 MINUTES

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2018, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MR. MARKEY OF MASSACHUSETTS,** *MR. DEFRIZIO  
OF OREGON*

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. 6. PROTECTION OF WATERS PROVIDING CERTAIN**  
2 **BENEFITS.**

3 None of the provisions of this Act, including the  
4 amendments made by this Act, shall apply to waters that,  
5 as determined by the Administrator of the Environmental  
6 Protection Agency—

- 7 (1) provide flood protection for communities;
- 8 (2) are a valuable fish and wildlife habitat that
- 9 provides benefits to the economy; or
- 10 (3) are coastal recreational waters.

