

MOTION TO RECOMMIT

M____. _____ moves to recommit the bill, H.R. 2642, to the Committee on Agriculture with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with the following amendment:

At the end of title XI, add the following new subtitle:

- 1 **Subtitle E—Food Safety**
- 2 **SEC. 11501. PROTECTING SAFE FOOD FOR AMERICAN CON-**
- 3 **SUMERS.**
- 4 (a) MEAT PRODUCTS.—Section 20 of the Federal
- 5 Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 620) is amended—
- 6 (1) by redesignating subsection (h) as sub-
- 7 section (i); and
- 8 (2) by inserting after subsection (g) the fol-
- 9 lowing new subsection:
- 10 “(h) The Secretary shall annually conduct an on-site
- 11 audit of the food regulatory system of each country that
- 12 is eligible to export carcasses, parts of carcasses, meat,
- 13 or meat food products to the United States.”.

1 (b) POULTRY PRODUCTS.—Section 17 of the Poultry
2 Products Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 466) is amended by
3 adding at the end the following new subsection:

4 “(e) The Secretary shall annually conduct an on-site
5 audit of the food regulatory system of each country that
6 is eligible to export poultry or parts or products of poultry
7 to the United States.”.

8 (c) EGG PRODUCTS.—Section 17 of the Egg Prod-
9 ucts Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 1046) is amended by add-
10 ing at the end the following new subsection:

11 “(e) The Secretary shall annually conduct an on-site
12 audit of the food regulatory system of each country that
13 is eligible to export eggs or egg products to the United
14 States.”.

15 (d) FUNDING TRANSFER AUTHORITY FOR FOOD
16 SAFETY EMERGENCIES.—If the Secretary of Agriculture
17 determines that there is a food safety emergency, the Sec-
18 retary of Agriculture may transfer funds from any pro-
19 gram, project, or activity of the Department of Agriculture
20 to the Food Safety and Inspection Service to respond to
21 such food safety emergency.

