

3. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE
CONNOLLY OF VIRGINIA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10
MINUTES

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**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 114-4
(TEXT OF H.R. 50)
OFFERED BY MR. CONNOLLY OF VIRGINIA**

At the end of the bill, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 14. SUNSET OF UNFUNDED MANDATES REFORM ACT**
2 **AND CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ACT AMEND-**
3 **MENTS IF GDP GROWTH FAILS TO INCREASE**
4 **AT AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF 5 PERCENT**
5 **OR MORE.**

6 (a) SUNSET.—If the real gross domestic product of
7 the United States fails to increase at an average annual
8 rate of 5 percent or more for the first 4 calendar quarters
9 occurring after the date of the enactment of this Act, as
10 determined under subsection (b), then the amendments
11 made by this Act to the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act
12 of 1995 (Public Law 104-4; 2 U.S.C. 1511 et seq.) and
13 the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 (2 U.S.C. 602 et
14 seq.) are repealed.

15 (b) DETERMINATION OF GROWTH OF GDP.—For
16 purposes of subsection (a), the Director of the Office of
17 Management and Budget shall—

18 (1) calculate the average annual rate of growth
19 of the real gross domestic product for the first 4 cal-

1 endar quarters occurring after the date of the enact-
2 ment of this Act; and

3 (2) submit to Congress a report containing such
4 calculation and such other information as the Direc-
5 tor considers appropriate, not later than 30 days
6 after the end of the 4th calendar quarter occurring
7 after such date of enactment.

