

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3021**

OFFERED BY MR. DAVID DAVIS of TN

At the end, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . CERTIFICATION.**

2 As a condition of receiving funds under this Act, a
3 local educational agency shall certify in writing to the
4 State educational agency involved that no policy of the
5 local educational agency prevents, or otherwise denies par-
6 ticipation in, constitutionally protected prayer in public el-
7 ementary schools and secondary schools, as detailed in the
8 guidance required under subsection (a) of section 9524 of
9 the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.
10 The certification shall be provided by October 1 of each
11 year. The State educational agency shall report to the Sec-
12 retary by November 1 of each year a list of those local
13 educational agencies that have not filed the certification
14 or against which complaints have been made to the State
15 educational agency that the local educational agencies are
16 not in compliance with this section.

