

AMENDMENT

OFFERED BY MR. BROWN OF MARYLAND

At the end of subtitle F of title I of division B of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . DRY BULK WEIGHT TOLERANCE.**

2 Section 127 of title 23, United States Code, is
3 amended by adding at the end the following:

4 “(v) DRY BULK WEIGHT TOLERANCE.—

5 “(1) DEFINITION OF DRY BULK GOODS.—In
6 this subsection, the term ‘dry bulk goods’ means any
7 homogeneous unmarked nonliquid cargo being trans-
8 ported in a trailer specifically designed for that pur-
9 pose.

10 “(2) WEIGHT TOLERANCE.—Notwithstanding
11 any other provision of this section, except for the
12 maximum gross vehicle weight limitation, a commer-
13 cial motor vehicle transporting dry bulk goods may
14 not exceed 110 percent of the maximum weight on
15 any axle or axle group described in subsection (a),
16 including any enforcement tolerance.”.

