

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5689
OFFERED BY MR. GARAMENDI OF CALIFORNIA

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE.**

2 Section 404 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief
3 and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5170e) is fur-
4 ther amended by adding at the end the following:

5 “(i) PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE.—

6 “(1) IN GENERAL.—A project receiving assist-
7 ance under this section shall be completed not later
8 than the date that is 36 months after the date of
9 the completion of all applicable environmental re-
10 views required by Federal or State law with respect
11 to such project or a later feasible date determined
12 by the Administrator.

13 “(2) EXTENSION OF PERIOD OF PERFORM-
14 ANCE.—Upon the request of a recipient of hazard
15 mitigation assistance provided under this section,
16 the Administrator may—

17 “(A) issue an extension of not more than
18 1 year of the period of performance deadline de-
19 scribed in paragraph (1); and

1 “(B) issue additional extensions of not
2 more than 1 year upon the expiration of an ex-
3 tension issued pursuant to subparagraph (A) or
4 this subparagraph.

5 “(3) RULE OF STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION.—
6 Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to au-
7 thorize the Administrator or a State delegated au-
8 thority under subsection (c) to establish a period of
9 performance shorter than the period of performance
10 described in paragraph (1).”.

