

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5689
OFFERED BY MR. GRAVES OF LOUISIANA

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____.** **REIMBURSEMENT TO STATES FOR HOUSING SO-**
2 **LUTIONS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Title IV of the Robert T. Stafford
4 Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C.
5 5170 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
6 lowing:

7 **“SEC. 431. REIMBURSEMENT FOR HOUSING SOLUTIONS.**

8 “The Federal Emergency Management Agency
9 (FEMA) shall reimburse State and local units of govern-
10 ment (for requests received within a period of 3 years after
11 the declaration of a major disaster under section 401)
12 upon determination that a locally implemented housing so-
13 lution, implemented by State or local units of govern-
14 ment—

15 “(1) costs 50 percent of comparable FEMA so-
16 lution or whatever the locally implemented solution
17 costs, whichever is lower;

18 “(2) complies with local housing regulations
19 and ordinances; and

1 “(3) the housing solution was implemented
2 within 90 days of the disaster.”.

3 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section and the amend-
4 ments made by this section shall apply as if enacted into
5 law on the date of enactment of the Disaster Recovery
6 Reform Act of 2018 (Public Law 115–254).

