

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 5156
OFFERED BY MR. RUSH OF ILLINOIS**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

2 This Act may be cited as the “Clean Energy Tech-
3 nology Manufacturing and Export Assistance Act of
4 2010”.

**5 SEC. 2. CLEAN ENERGY TECHNOLOGY MANUFACTURING
6 AND EXPORT ASSISTANCE FUND.**

7 (a) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this section—

8 (1) the term “clean energy technology” means
9 a technology related to the production, use, trans-
10 mission, storage, control, or conservation of energy
11 that will contribute to a stabilization of atmospheric
12 greenhouse gas concentrations through reduction,
13 avoidance, or sequestration of energy-related emis-
14 sions and—

15 (A) reduce the need for additional energy
16 supplies by using existing energy supplies with
17 greater efficiency or by transmitting, distrib-
18 uting, or transporting energy with greater effec-

1 tiveness through the infrastructure of the
2 United States; or

3 (B) diversify the sources of energy supply
4 of the United States to strengthen energy secu-
5 rity and to increase supplies with a favorable
6 balance of environmental effects if the entire
7 technology system is considered; and

8 (2) the term “Secretary” means the Secretary
9 of Commerce.

10 (b) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Secretary shall establish
11 a Clean Energy Technology Manufacturing and Export
12 Assistance Fund, to be administered through the Inter-
13 national Trade Administration. The Secretary shall ad-
14 minister the Fund to promote policies that will reduce pro-
15 duction costs and encourage innovation, investment, and
16 productivity in the clean energy technology sector, and im-
17 plement a national clean energy technology export strat-
18 egy. The purpose of the Fund is to ensure that United
19 States clean energy technology firms, including clean en-
20 ergy technology parts suppliers and engineering and de-
21 sign firms, have the information and assistance they need
22 to be competitive and create clean energy technology sec-
23 tor jobs in the United States.

24 (c) ASSISTANCE.—The Secretary, consistent with the
25 National Export Initiative, shall provide information,

1 tools, and other assistance to United States businesses to
2 promote clean energy technology manufacturing and facili-
3 tate the export of clean energy technology products and
4 services. Such assistance shall include—

5 (1) developing critical analysis of policies to re-
6 duce production costs and promote innovation, in-
7 vestment, and productivity in the clean energy tech-
8 nology sector;

9 (2) helping educate companies about how to tai-
10 lor their activities to specific markets with respect to
11 their product slate, financing, marketing, assembly,
12 and logistics;

13 (3) helping United States companies learn
14 about the export process and export opportunities in
15 foreign markets;

16 (4) helping United States companies to navi-
17 gate foreign markets; and

18 (5) helping United States companies provide
19 input regarding clean energy technology manufac-
20 turing and trade policy developments and trade pro-
21 motion.

22 (d) REPORTS TO CONGRESS.—

23 (1) Not later than 180 days after the date of
24 enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall transmit

1 to the Congress a report indicating how the funds
2 provided under this section will be used to—

3 (A) focus on small and medium-sized
4 United States businesses;

5 (B) encourage the creation and mainte-
6 nance of the greatest number of clean energy
7 technology jobs in the United States; and

8 (C) encourage the domestic production of
9 clean energy technology products and services,
10 including materials, components, equipment,
11 parts, and supplies related in any way to the
12 product or service.

13 (2) Not later than January 1, 2015, the Sec-
14 retary shall transmit to the Congress a report as-
15 sessed the extent to which the program established
16 under this section—

17 (A) has been successful in developing crit-
18 ical analysis of policies to reduce production
19 costs and promote innovation, investment, and
20 productivity in the clean energy technology sec-
21 tor;

22 (B) has been successful in increasing the
23 competitiveness of United States clean energy
24 technology firms in emerging markets;

1 (C) has been successful in assisting United
2 States businesses, specifically small and me-
3 dium-sized firms, with exporting clean energy
4 technology products and services;

5 (D) has been successful in creating jobs di-
6 rectly related to the clean energy technology
7 sector in the United States, including specific
8 information as to the nature, location, and du-
9 ration of those jobs and the methodology used
10 by the Secretary to compile such information;

11 (E) has been successful in helping United
12 States companies provide input regarding clean
13 energy technology manufacturing and trade pol-
14 icy developments and trade promotion; and

15 (F) should be continued.

16 (e) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

17 (1) IN GENERAL.—There are authorized to be
18 appropriated to the Secretary for carrying out this
19 section \$15,000,000 for each of the fiscal years
20 2011 through 2015.

21 (2) LIMITATION.—No assistance provided using
22 funds appropriated pursuant to this section shall be
23 provided in the form of a monetary grant.

