

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3101
OFFERED BY MR. MARKEY OF MASSACHUSETTS**

At the end of title I, add the following new section
(and conform the table of contents accordingly):

1 **SEC. 106. RELAY SERVICES FOR DEAF-BLIND INDIVIDUALS.**

2 Title VII of the Communications Act of 1934 (47
3 U.S.C. 601 et seq.), as amended by sections 103 and 104,
4 is further amended by adding at the end the following:

5 **“SEC. 718. RELAY SERVICES FOR DEAF-BLIND INDIVID-**
6 **UALS.**

7 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Within 6 months after the date
8 of enactment of the Twenty-First Century Communica-
9 tions and Video Accessibility Act of 2010, the Commission
10 shall establish rules that define as eligible for relay service
11 support those programs that are approved by the Commis-
12 sion for the distribution of specialized customer premises
13 equipment designed to make telecommunications service,
14 Internet access service, and advanced communications, in-
15 cluding interexchange services and advanced telecommuni-
16 cations and information services, accessible by low-income
17 individuals who are deaf-blind.

1 “(b) INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE DEAF-BLIND DE-
2 FINED.—For purposes of this section, the term ‘individ-
3 uals who are deaf-blind’ has the meaning given such term
4 in section 206 of the Helen Keller National Center Act
5 (29 U.S.C. 1905).

6 “(c) ANNUAL AMOUNT.—The total amount of sup-
7 port the Commission may provide from its Telecommuni-
8 cations Relay Services Fund for any fiscal year may not
9 exceed \$10,000,000.”.

