AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 5003
OFFERED BY MR. SCOTT

Page 113, line 13, strike the quotation mark and period at the end.

Page 113, insert after line 13 the following:

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1    "(i) PILOT PROGRAM FOR POSTSECONDARY
2       SCHOOLS.—
3            "(1) PROGRAM.—The Secretary shall carry out
4               a pilot program under which the Secretary shall pro-
5               vide to not more than 50 eligible schools, or 10
6               State systems of higher education, grants and tech-
7               nical assistance to develop and administer a program
8               to provide free and reduced price meals to low-in-
9               come students.
10            "(2) GRANTS.—The Secretary shall award com-
11               petitive grants under this subsection to be used for
12               the planning and implementation of the program.
13            "(3) CRITERIA FOR SELECTION.—To the max-
14               imum extent practicable, in providing assistance
15               under this subsection, the Secretary shall give the
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highest priority to funding projects that, as determined by the Secretary—

"(A) serve a high proportion of low-income students;

"(B) integrate seamlessly with existing food service delivery at the eligible school or within the State system of higher education to limit logistical hurdles to participation by students in the program, and to eliminate any stigma for students participating in the program; and

"(C) focus on eliminating food insecurity for low-income students through a variety of efforts.

"(4) EVALUATION.—As a condition of receiving a grant under this subsection, each grant recipient shall agree to cooperate in an evaluation by the Secretary of the program carried out using grant funds.

"(5) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.—The Secretary shall provide technical assistance and information to assist eligible schools or State systems of higher education selected to participate in the program in the development of a free and reduced priced meal program.

"(6) DEFINITIONS.—In this subsection:

“(B) LOW-INCOME STUDENT.—The term ‘low-income student’ has the meaning given the term by the Secretary, except that such term shall not exclude any student eligible for a Federal Pell Grant under section 401 of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1070a).

“(7) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is to be authorized to be appropriated to carry out this subsection $50,000,000 for fiscal years 2017 through 2020.”.