AMENDMENT TO THE RESOLUTION OFFERED BY MR. HENSARLING TO ADOPT THE RULES OF THE COMMITTEE

OFFERED BY MR. FOSTER OF ILLINOIS

Page 5, strike line 33 and all that follows thereafter through line 36 and insert the following:

- 1 (e)(1)(A) A subpoena may be authorized and issued
- 2 by the Committee or a subcommittee in the conduct of
- 3 any investigation or series of investigations or activities,
- 4 only when authorized by a majority of the members voting,
- 5 a majority being present, or pursuant to subparagraph
- 6 (B).
- 7 (B) The Chair, with the concurrence of the ranking
- 8 minority member, may authorize and issue subpoenas
- 9 under such clause during any period for which the House
- 10 has adjourned for a period in excess of 3 days when, in
- 11 the opinion of the Chair, authorization and issuance of the
- 12 subpoena is necessary to obtain the material or testimony
- 13 set forth in the subpoena. The Chair shall report to the
- 14 members of the Committee on the authorization and
- 15 issuance of a subpoena during the recess period as soon

- 1 as practicable, but in no event later than one week after
- 2 service of such subpoena.

