

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3898  
OFFERED BY MR. GARAMENDI OF CALIFORNIA**

Strike section 7 and insert the following:

**1 SEC. 7. NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION**  
**2 SYSTEM TERMS.**

**3 (a) IN GENERAL.**—Section 402(b)(1)(B) of the Fed-  
**4 eral Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.**  
**5 1342(b)(1)(B)) is amended to read as follows:**

**6 “(B) are for fixed terms—**

**7 “(i) not exceeding 10 years, for a per-**  
**8 mit issued to a State or municipality; and**

**9 “(ii) not exceeding 5 years, for a per-**  
**10 mit issued to any person not described in**  
**11 clause (i); and”.**

**12 (b) TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.**—Section 402(l)(3) of  
**13 the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C.**  
**14 1342(l)(3)) is amended—**

**15 (1) in subparagraph (B)—**

**16 (A) by striking “section 402” and insert-**  
**17 ing “this section”; and**

**18 (B) by striking “federal” and inserting**  
**19 “Federal”; and**

- 1 (2) in subparagraph (C)—  
2 (A) by striking “Section” and inserting  
3 “section”;  
4 (B) by striking “402(p)(6)” and inserting  
5 “subsection (p)(6)”;  
6 (C) by striking “402(l)(3)(A),” and insert-  
7 ing “subparagraph (A),”; and  
8 (D) by striking “402(l)(3)(A).” and insert-  
9 ing “such subparagraph.”.

