

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. \_\_\_\_\_  
OFFERED BY MR. GRAVES OF LOUISIANA**

At the appropriate place in title III, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 3 \_\_\_\_ . LAROSE TO GOLDEN MEADOW, LOUISIANA.**

2 (a) SCOPING OF EVALUATION.—

3 (1) STUDY.—Not later than June 30, 2025, the  
4 Secretary shall complete a study of the following re-  
5 lating to the covered project:

6 (A) Any project modifications undertaken  
7 by the non-Federal interest for the covered  
8 project since 2005 not constructed in accord-  
9 ance with section 14 of the Act of March 3,  
10 1899 (33 U.S.C. 408).

11 (B) Current elevations required for the  
12 covered project to meet the 100-year level of  
13 risk reduction.

14 (C) Whether project modifications under-  
15 taken by the non-Federal interest for the cov-  
16 ered project since 2005 were injurious to the  
17 covered project or the public.

1 (D) Any deviations from design guidelines  
2 acceptable for the covered project.

3 (E) Improvements needed for the covered  
4 project to address any deficiencies according to  
5 current design guidelines of the Corps of Engi-  
6 neers district in which the covered project is lo-  
7 cated.

8 (F) A re-evaluation of project economics.

9 (2) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after  
10 completing the study under paragraph (1), the Sec-  
11 retary shall submit to Congress a report that in-  
12 cludes—

13 (A) the results of the study;

14 (B) ~~any exceptions to the requirements of~~  
15 ~~section 14 of the Act of March 3, 1899 (33~~  
16 ~~U.S.C. 408) that are recommended for the cov-~~  
17 ~~ered project;~~

18 ~~(C) an updated summary of cost-sharing~~  
19 ~~requirements for the covered project;~~

20 (D) recommendations ~~and cost estimates~~  
21 for improvement to the covered project to ad-  
22 dress any deficiencies ~~according to the current~~  
23 ~~design guidelines of the Corps of Engineers dis-~~  
24 ~~trict in which the covered project is located; and~~

*recommendation  
for pathway into  
systemwide improvement  
plan created  
under Sec. 109  
of this Act.*

1 ~~(E) the updated authorized cost for the~~  
2 ~~covered project.~~

3 (b) COVERED PROJECT DEFINED.—In this section,  
4 the term “covered project” means the Larose to Golden  
5 Meadow project, Louisiana, authorized by the Flood Con-  
6 trol Act of 1965 as the Grand Isle and vicinity project.

7 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is  
8 authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section  
9 \$3,000,000.



