

**AMENDMENT**

**OFFERED BY M**\_\_\_\_.

Add at the end the following:

**1 SEC. \_\_\_\_ AUTHORIZATION OF AMTRAK TO BRING CIVIL**  
**2 ACTION TO ENFORCE PREFERENCE RIGHTS.**

**3 (a) IN GENERAL.**—Section 24308(c) of title 49,  
**4 United States Code, is amended, by adding at the end the**  
**5 following: “Notwithstanding sections 24103(a) and**  
**6 24308(f), Amtrak shall have the right to bring an action**  
**7 for equitable or other relief in the United States District**  
**8 Court for the District of Columbia to enforce the pref-**  
**9 erence rights granted under this subsection.”.**

**10 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.**—Section 24103 of  
**11 title 49, United States Code, is amended by inserting “and**  
**12 section 24308(c)” before “, only the Attorney General”.**

