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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1249
OFFERED BY MR. CONYERS

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . CLARIFICATION OF APPLICABILITY OF TRANSI-**
2 **TIONAL PROGRAM FOR COVERED BUSINESS**
3 **METHOD PATENTS.**

4 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the
5 regulations issued pursuant to section 18(b)(1)(relating to
6 the transitional program for covered business method pat-
7 ents), shall not apply to any claims of a patent that, as
8 of the date of enactment of this Act, have—

- 9 (1) completed an ex parte or inter partes reex-
10 amination by the United States Patent and Trade-
11 mark Office; and
12 (2) been reissued as valid claims.

