

Amendment #15
Withdrawn

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1148
OFFERED BY MR. RICHMOND OF LOUISIANA

Page 28, line 1, strike “Nothing” and insert the following:

1 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Nothing

Page 28, line 4, strike the final quotation marks and the period at the end.

Page 28, after line 4, insert the following:

2 “(2) EFFECT OF COURT ORDER.—A State, or a
3 political subdivision of a State, shall not be found to
4 be out of compliance with this section if such State
5 or political subdivision has in effect a relevant statute,
6 policy, or practice as a result of a court order,
7 including a court-ordered consent decree.”.

Page 28, line 20, strike “A State,” and insert the following (and redesignate provisions accordingly):

8 (1) IN GENERAL.—A State,

Page 29, after line 11, insert the following:

9 (2) EFFECT OF COURT ORDER.—Paragraph (1)
10 shall not apply to a State, or a political subdivision

1 of a State, that has in effect a statute, policy, or
2 practice described in such paragraph as a result of
3 a court order, including a court-ordered consent de-
4 cree.

