Amendment to the Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to H.R. 4690 Offered by Mr. Graves of Louisiana

At the end of Section 502, insert the following:

Restoration of Historically Freshwater Environment—Section 3(10) (16 U.S.C. 1802) is amended—

- (1) By inserting a comma after "feeding"; and
- (2) By inserting the following: "except that such term—
 - (A) Does not include an area that—
 - (i) Was previously covered by land or a freshwater environment; and
 - (ii) Is in a State where the average annual land loss of such State during the 20 years before the date of the enactment of this Act exceeds 10 square miles; and
 - (B) Does not apply with respect to a project undertaken by a State or local government with the purpose of restoration or protection of an area described in subparagraph (A).