

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3609
OFFERED BY Mr . Lamb

Page 2, line 2, insert “and in accordance with subsection (b)” after “program”.

Page 2, line 2, insert “and enter into contracts and cooperative agreements” after “grants”.

Page 2, line 3, strike “on a competitive, merit-reviewed basis to eligible entities”.

Redesignate subsections (b) through (e) of section 2 as subsections (c) through (f), respectively.

Add after section 2(a) the following:

1 (b) GRANTS, CONTRACTS, AND COOPERATIVE
2 AGREEMENTS.—

3 (1) GRANTS.—In carrying out the program, the
4 Secretary shall award grants on a competitive,
5 merit-reviewed basis to eligible entities for projects
6 that the Secretary determines would best achieve the
7 goals of the program.

8 (2) CONTRACTS AND COOPERATIVE AGREE-
9 MENTS.—In carrying out the program, the Secretary
10 may enter into contracts and cooperative agreements

1 with eligible entities and Federal agencies for
2 projects that the Secretary determines would further
3 the purposes of the program.

4 (3) APPLICATION.—An entity seeking funding
5 or a contract or agreement under this subsection
6 shall submit to the Secretary an application at such
7 time, in such manner, and containing such informa-
8 tion as the Secretary may require.

In section 2(c), as so redesignated—

(1) redesignate paragraph (10) as paragraph
(11); and

(2) add after paragraph (9) the following:

9 (10) Storage technologies to address the tran-
10 sience and intermittency of wind energy resources.

Page 7, line 24, strike “award grants” and all that follows through “eligible entities” and insert “conduct research, development, testing, and evaluation activities in accordance with subsection (b)”.

Page 8, line 10, strike “award grants” and all that follows through “eligible entities”.

Page 8, line 12, insert “, in accordance with subsection (b),” after “evaluate”.

