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**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2419, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. SHULER OF NORTH CAROLINA**

In section 404 of the Agricultural Credit Act of 1978, as added by section 8102, insert after subsection (c) the following new subsection (and redesignate subsequent subsections):

1 “(d) INSECT AND DISEASE THREATS.—Notwith-
2 standing subsection (c)(1), non-industrial private forest
3 lands are eligible under this section if the Secretary deter-
4 mines that the lands are under an imminent threat of loss
5 or damage by insect or disease and immediate action
6 would help to avoid the loss or damage.