

9. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
SHEA-PORTER OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, OR HER  
DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES:

#11 2nd Revision

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE  
NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 3999  
OFFERED BY MS. SHEA-PORTER OF NEW  
HAMPSHIRE**

In section 2(e), before the closing quotation marks at the end of the matter proposed to be inserted as section 144(d)(5) of title 23, United States Code, insert the following:

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“(C) HISTORIC BRIDGES.—

“(i) IN GENERAL.—A 5-year performance plan of a State under subparagraph (A)(iii) may provide for more frequent, in-depth inspection of a historic bridge located in the State in lieu of replacement of the bridge if the Secretary determines that—

“(I) it is appropriate based on the age, design, traffic characteristics, and any known deficiency of the bridge; and

“(II) granting the exception will increase the overall safety of the State’s bridge inventory.

1                   “(ii) HISTORIC BRIDGE DEFINED.—In  
2                   this subparagraph, the term ‘historic  
3                   bridge’ means any bridge that is listed on  
4                   the National Register of Historic Places.

