

**AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MRS. MCCARTHY OF  
NEW YORK  
TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A  
SUBSTITUTE  
TO H.R. 1429**

Page 165, after line 22, insert the following (and make such technical and conforming changes as may be appropriate):

1       “(f) EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS REGARD-  
2   ING OBESITY PREVENTION.—The Secretary shall evaluate  
3   and publish regulations on the issue of and concerns re-  
4   lated to preventing and reducing obesity in children who  
5   participate in Head Start programs and shall consult, at  
6   a minimum, with experts in child and maternal health,  
7   child development, child and family nutrition and physical  
8   education, to determine the effective methods by which  
9   Head Start agencies can help address childhood obesity.  
10   The regulations should include guidance on how Head  
11   Start agencies can incorporate, at a minimum, more phys-  
12   ical activity and nutrition education into such programs  
13   related to preventing and reducing obesity. Not later than  
14   1 year after the effective date of this subsection, the Sec-

1 retary shall submit to the House Committee on Education  
2 and Labor and the Senate Committee on Health, Edu-  
3 cation, Labor and Pensions, a report containing such rec-  
4 ommendations and the results of such evaluation.”.