Amendment to H.R. 9197 Offered by Mrs. Sykes of Ohio

Page 2, line 3, strike "Section 22A" and insert the following:

1 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 22A

Add at the end the following:

2 (b) Hollings Manufacturing Extension Part3 NERSHIP ACTIVITIES TO PROMOTE ARTIFICIAL INTEL4 LIGENCE USE BY SMALL AND MEDIUM MANUFACTUR5 ERS.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Director of the National 7 Institute of Standards and Technology shall con-8 tinue to support small and medium sized manufac-9 turers in adopting new manufacturing technology and processes, including by promoting the under-10 11 standing and adoption of artificial intelligence tools 12 by such manufacturers, in accordance with section 13 25 of the National Institute of Standards and Tech-14 nology Act (15 U.S.C. 278k).

15 (2) AMENDMENT.—Paragraph (4) of section
16 25B(e) of the National Institute of Standards and
17 Technology Act (15 U.S.C. 278k-2(e)) is amended—

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1	(A) in subparagraph (C), by striking
2	"and" after the semicolon;
3	(B) by redesignating subparagraph (D) as
4	subparagraph (E); and
5	(C) inserting after subparagraph (C) the
6	following the new subparagraph:
7	"(D) training and services for the under-
8	standing and adoption of artificial intelligence
9	technologies in manufacturing practices; and".

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