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**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT OFFERED BY
MR. SMITH TO H.R. 1249
OFFERED BY MS. ZOE LOFGREN OF CALIFORNIA**

On page 6 of the amendment, strike the amendment to page 35, line 16, and insert the following:

Page 39, strike line 18 and all that follows through "patent." on line 23 and insert the following:

1 “(b) PATENT OWNERS ACTION.—An inter partes re-
2 view may not be instituted if the petition requesting the
3 proceeding is filed more than 30 days after the date on
4 which a court of competent jurisdiction enters in order
5 construing the claims of the patent, in a civil action in
6 which the petitioner, real party in interest, or privy of the
7 petitioner is a party.

