

105TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 679

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 11, 1997

Mr. HAMILTON (for himself, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. GORDON, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. MCINTOSH) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. DEFINITION OF VOLATILE ORGANIC COM-**  
4 **POUNDS.**

5 Section 302(s) of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C.  
6 7602(s)) is amended by adding the following at the end  
7 thereof: “Such term shall not include beverage alcohol  
8 compounds (ethanol) emitted from aging warehouses.”.