111TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H.R. 4274

To amend section 13(a) of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1761(a)) to permit certain service institutions in all States to provide year-round services.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 10, 2009

Mr. LARSEN of Washington (for himself and Mrs. EMERSON) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor

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. SHORT TITLE.

- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Ensuring All Students
- 5 Year-round (EASY) Access to Meals and Snacks Act".

1 SEC. 2. YEAR-ROUND SERVICES FOR ELIGIBLE ENTITIES.

2 Section 13(a) of the Richard B. Russell National
3 School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1761(a)) is amended by add4 ing at the end the following—

5 "(11) YEAR-ROUND OPTION.—A service institu-6 tion that is described in paragraph (6) (excluding a 7 public school), or a private nonprofit organization 8 described in paragraph (7) shall be eligible for the 9 program under the same terms and conditions as 10 other service institutions, except that such service 11 institution, in addition to being eligible for reim-12 bursement for meals described in subsection (b)(2)13 served during each day of operation during the peri-14 ods described in subsection (c)(1), may be reim-15 bursed for up to 1 meal and 1 snack per child served 16 during each day of operation during—

- 17 "(A) after school hours;
- 18 "(B) weekends; and
- 19 "(C) school holidays during the regular20 school calendar.".

21 SEC. 3. CONFORMING AMENDMENT.

Section 18(h) of the Richard B. Russell National
School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1769(h)) is hereby repealed.