Purpose: To provide assistance to charities and families in need.

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Making supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2009 for the Consumer Assistance to Recycle and Save Program.

Referred to the Committee on ____________________ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. Coburn

Viz:

1 At the appropriate place, insert the following:

2 SECTION ____. ASSISTANCE TO CHARITIES AND FAMILIES IN NEED.

3 Section 1302 of the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2009 (Public Law 111–32; 123 Stat. 1909; 49 U.S.C. 32901 note) is amended—

4 (1) in subsection (a)(2)(B), by inserting “or for donation to a charity”; and

5 (2) in subsection (e)(2)—
(A) in subparagraph (A), strike “For each” and insert “Except as provided in subparagraph (C), for each”;

(B) by redesigning subparagraph (C) as subparagraph (D); and

(C) by inserting after paragraph (B) the following:

“(C) DONATION TO CHARITY.—For each eligible trade-in vehicle surrendered to a dealer under the Program, the dealer may dispose of such vehicle by donating such vehicle to—

“(i) an organization that—

“(I) is described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from tax under section 501(a) of such Code, including educational institutions, health care providers, and housing assistance providers described in such section; and

“(II) certifies to the Secretary that the donated vehicle will be used by the organization to further its exempt purpose or function, including to provide transportation of individuals
for health care services, education, employment, general use, or other purpose relating to the provision of assistance to those in need, including sales to raise financial support for the organization; or “(ii) a family that does not have sufficient income to afford, but can demonstrate a need for, an automobile.”.