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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2857, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. JEFFERSON OF LOUISIANA

Page 151, after line 3, insert the following:

1 "(D) PRIORITY.—Notwithstanding any
2 other provision of this Act, in obligating the
3 amounts made available pursuant to the author-
4 ization of appropriations in subparagraph (C),
5 priority shall be given to programs carried out
6 in areas for which the President has declared
7 the existence of a major disaster, in accordance
8 with section 401 of the Robert T. Stafford Dis-
9 aster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42
10 U.S.C. 5170), as a consequence of Hurricanes
11 Katrina and Rita.".