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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1545, L.D. 2182,
Bill, "AN ACT Concerning the Railroad Excise Tax."

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Amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated "§2624." in the 2nd paragraph in the 8th, 9th and 10th lines (page 2, lines 42 to 44 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and without the State, shall be divided by the total number of miles operated" and inserting in its place the following: ~~'and without the State the United States,~~ shall be divided by the total number of miles operated within the United States'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment provides that the railroad excise tax will be based only upon gross transportation receipts which are earned within the United States and will not include foreign receipts. It addresses an inequity in the existing tax as it is applied to Canadian railroads.

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