

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1960**  
**OFFERED BY MR. ANDREWS OF NEW JERSEY**

At the end of subtitle A of title V, add the following  
new section:

1 **SEC. 502. INCLUSION IN THE CHAPLAIN CORPS OF PER-**  
2 **SONS AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE**  
3 **AND COUNSEL TO MEMBERS OF THE ARMED**  
4 **FORCES WHO ARE ATHEIST, AGNOSTIC, OR**  
5 **BELONG TO NO ORGANIZED FAITH GROUP.**

6 The Secretary of Defense shall provide for the ap-  
7 pointment, as officers in the Chaplain Corps of the Armed  
8 Forces, of persons who are certified or ordained by non-  
9 theistic organizations and institutions, such as humanist,  
10 ethical culturalist, or atheist.

