

**AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 3766
OFFERED BY MR. COMER OF KENTUCKY**

Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 **SECTION 1. PROHIBITING THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**
2 **FROM REQUIRING TRIBUNALS TO DEFER TO**
3 **MAYOR'S INTERPRETATION OF STATUTES**
4 **AND REGULATIONS.**

5 (a) PROHIBITION.—The District of Columbia may
6 not require a reviewing tribunal—

7 (1) in reviewing an order or decision of the
8 Mayor of the District of Columbia or an agency of
9 the District of Columbia in any court or administra-
10 tive proceeding in the District of Columbia, includ-
11 ing judicial review proceedings, to defer to the May-
12 or's or agency's interpretation of a statute or regula-
13 tion the Mayor or agency administers; or

14 (2) in reviewing a rule adopted by the Mayor or
15 an agency, to defer to the Mayor's or agency's inter-
16 pretation of a statute the Mayor or agency admin-
17 isters.

1 (b) REPEAL OF LEGISLATION.—The Review of Agen-
2 cy Action Clarification Amendment Act of 2025 (D.C.
3 Law 26–37) is hereby repealed, and any provision of law
4 amended or repealed by such Act is restored or revived
5 as if such Act had not been enacted into law.

