A station meeting the local congestion condition lpNrXmitRate > rateLowThreshold should not originate the fairRate in the SCFF it sends upstream when it is also the case that lpNrXmitRate - lpAddRate > rateLowThreshold. Such a station should always propagate the rate received from its downstream neighbor (which may be the FULLRATE. In this respect, the stations behaves as a station within a congestion domain, as it propagates the received rate, but it is not permitted to assume the role of head of the congestion domain and originate the fairRate value. Specifically:

Insert in Table 10.8:

transitCongested = FALSE;

row 2 action (after localCongested = FALSE;):
transitCongested = FALSE;

Insert in Table 10.10:

| | STATE | CONDITION | ACTION | NEXT STATE |
|----------|-------|---|--------|------------|
| row 3.5: | MORE | transitCongested &&!downstreamCongested | (none) | FULL |
| row 3.6: | MORE | transitCongested && downstreamCongested | (none) | DOWN |