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### An angle analog of Proposition 3.12 (Revision)

**To Show:** If  $\angle ABC \cong \angle DEF$  and  $\overrightarrow{BG}$  is interior to  $\angle ABC$ , then there is a unique ray  $\overrightarrow{EH}$  interior to  $\angle DEF$  such that  $\angle ABG \cong \angle DEH$ .

*Proof.* WLOG, by applying C-1 and renaming,  $AB \cong DE$  and  $BC \cong EF$ . By the crossbar theorem, WLOG  $A * G * C$ .

By SAS applied to  $(AB \cong DE, \angle ABC \cong \angle DEF, BC \cong EF)$ , we have  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$ .

Since  $AC \cong DF$ , we can pick  $H$  such that  $D * H * F$  and  $AG \cong DH$  by Prop. 3.12. We also have  $\angle BAG = \angle BAC \cong \angle EDF = \angle EDH$ . Then, by SAS on  $(AB \cong DE, \angle BAG \cong \angle EDH, AG \cong DH)$ , we have  $\triangle BAG \cong \triangle EDH$ . Hence,  $\angle ABG \cong \angle DEH$ .

For the uniqueness, suppose  $H'$  is interior to  $\angle DEF$  with  $\angle DEH' \cong \angle ABG$ . Then  $H'$  is on the same side of  $\overleftrightarrow{DE}$  as  $F$ . Thus, by C-4,  $\overrightarrow{EH'} = \overrightarrow{EH}$ .  $\square$