

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
OF H.R. 624
OFFERED BY MS. JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS**

At the end of the bill, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 4. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING CRITICAL INFRA-**
2 **STRUCTURE AND ENCRYPTION OF GOVERN-**
3 **MENT DEVICES.**

4 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS ON INTERNATIONAL COOP-
5 ERATIVE AGREEMENTS TO PROTECT CRITICAL INFRA-
6 STRUCTURE.—It is the sense of Congress that the United
7 States Government should facilities international coopera-
8 tive agreements to protect critical infrastructure and insti-
9 tutions from cyber threats, including electric utility grids,
10 refineries, oil and gas extraction systems, pipelines, water
11 treatment systems, sewage systems, medical devices, and
12 hospitals.

13 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING ENCRYPTION
14 ON GOVERNMENT DEVICES.—It is the sense of Congress
15 that the United States should require all Federal Govern-
16 ment devices to contain strong encryption to secure com-
17 puting systems and digital information while in transit
18 and at rest.

