

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 114-14
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At the end of subtitle G of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12xx. REPORT ON ACCOUNTABILITY FOR CRIMES**
2 **AGAINST HUMANITY IN NIGERIA.**

3 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—Congress—

4 (1) strongly condemns the ongoing violence and
5 the systematic gross human rights violations against
6 the people of Nigeria carried out by the jihadist or-
7 ganization Boko Haram;

8 (2) expresses its support for the people of Nige-
9 ria who wish to live in a peaceful, economically pros-
10 perous, and democratic Nigeria; and

11 (3) calls on the President to support Nigerian
12 and International Community efforts to ensure ac-
13 countability for crimes against humanity committed
14 by Boko Haram against the people of Nigeria, par-
15 ticularly young girls kidnapped from educational in-
16 stitutions by Boko Haram.

17 (b) REPORT.—

18 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after
19 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary

1 of Defense shall submit to Congress a report on
2 crimes against humanity committed by Boko Haram
3 in Nigeria.

4 (2) ELEMENTS.—The report required under
5 paragraph (1) shall include the following elements:

6 (A) A description of initiatives undertaken
7 by the Department of Defense to assist the
8 Government of Nigeria to develop its own ca-
9 pacity to deploy specialized police and army
10 units rapidly to bring Boko Haram leader
11 Abubakar Shekau to justice and to prevent and
12 combat sectarian violence in cities and areas in
13 Nigeria where there has been a history of sec-
14 tarian violence.

15 (B) A description of violations of inter-
16 nationally recognized human rights and crimes
17 against humanity perpetrated by Boko Haram
18 in Nigeria, including a description of the con-
19 ventional and unconventional weapons used for
20 such crimes and, where possible, the origins of
21 the weapons.

22 (C) A description of efforts by the Depart-
23 ment of Defense to ensure accountability for
24 violations of internationally recognized human
25 rights and crimes against humanity perpetrated

1 against the people of Nigeria by Boko Haram
2 and al-Qaeda affiliates and other jihadists in
3 Nigeria, including—

4 (i) a description of initiatives that the
5 United States has undertaken to train Ni-
6 gerian investigators on how to document,
7 investigate, and develop findings of crimes
8 against humanity; and

9 (ii) an assessment of the impact of
10 those initiatives.

