

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 115-23**  
**OFFERED BY MR. KELLY OF PENNSYLVANIA**

At the end of subtitle H of title XII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 12xx. LIMITATION ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS TO IM-**  
2 **PLEMENT THE ARMS TRADE TREATY.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds authorized to  
4 be appropriated by this Act or otherwise made available  
5 for fiscal year 2018 for the Department of Defense may  
6 be obligated or expended to fund a Secretariat or any  
7 other international organization established to support the  
8 implementation of the Arms Trade Treaty, to sustain do-  
9 mestic prosecutions based on any charge related to the  
10 Treaty, or to implement the Treaty until the Senate ap-  
11 proves a resolution of ratification for the Treaty and im-  
12 plementing legislation for the Treaty has been enacted into  
13 law.

14 (b) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-  
15 tion shall be construed to preclude the Department of De-  
16 fense from assisting foreign countries in bringing their  
17 laws, regulations, and practices related to export control  
18 up to United States standards.

