

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 115-

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OFFERED BY MR. POCAN OF WISCONSIN

Page 451, after line 6, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 1073. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING INVESTING IN**
2 **THE HOMELAND TO ADVANCE NATIONAL SE-**
3 **CURITY.**

4 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress makes the following find-
5 ings:

6 (1) A strong and safe homeland rests on the
7 health and wellbeing of America’s communities.

8 (2) Federal non-defense discretionary spending
9 provides health care for our veterans, research to
10 tackle cancer, safe highways, airports and water-
11 ways, economic security for families in need, and ro-
12 bust law enforcement.

13 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
14 gress that any increase to the combined amount author-
15 ized to be appropriated for National Defense Budget
16 (Function 50) and Overseas Contingency Operations
17 should be matched—dollar for dollar—with increases in
18 the annual amounts authorized to be appropriated for the
19 Federal non-defense discretionary budget, which makes in-

1 vestments that are essential to the national security of the
2 United States.

