

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
FOR H.R. 2596
OFFERED BY MR. WILSON OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

Page 42, after line 12, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 336. CYBER ATTACK STANDARDS OF MEASUREMENT**
2 **STUDY.**

3 (a) **STUDY REQUIRED.**—The Director of National In-
4 telligence, in consultation with the Secretary of Homeland
5 Security, the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investiga-
6 tion, and the Secretary of Defense, shall carry out a study
7 to determine appropriate standards that—

8 (1) can be used to measure the damage of cyber
9 incidents for the purposes of determining the re-
10 sponse to such incidents; and

11 (2) include a method for quantifying the dam-
12 age caused to affected computers, systems, and de-
13 vices.

14 (b) **REPORTS TO CONGRESS.**—

15 (1) **PRELIMINARY FINDINGS.**—Not later than
16 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act,
17 the Director of National Intelligence shall provide to
18 the Committee on Armed Services, the Committee
19 on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,

1 and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Sen-
2 ate and the Committee on Armed Services, the Com-
3 mittee on Homeland Security, and the Permanent
4 Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of
5 Representatives the initial findings of the study re-
6 quired under subsection (a).

7 (2) REPORT.—Not later than 360 days after
8 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Director
9 of National Intelligence shall submit to the Com-
10 mittee on Armed Services, the Committee on Home-
11 land Security and Governmental Affairs, and the Se-
12 lect Committee on Intelligence of the Senate and the
13 Committee on Armed Services, the Committee on
14 Homeland Security, and the Permanent Select Com-
15 mittee on Intelligence of the House of Representa-
16 tives a report containing the complete findings of
17 such study.

18 (3) FORM OF REPORT.—The report required by
19 paragraph (2) shall be submitted in unclassified
20 form, but may contain a classified annex.

