Amendment to the Rules Committee Print
for H.R. 4435
Offered by Mr. Larsen of Washington

At the end of subtitle C of title XXXI, add the following new section:

SEC. 3134. PLAN FOR VERIFICATION AND MONITORING OF
PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND
FISSILE MATERIAL.

(a) PLAN.—The President, in consultation with the
Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary
of Energy, the Secretary of Homeland Security, and the
Director of National Intelligence, shall develop an inter-
agency plan for verification and monitoring relating to the
potential proliferation of nuclear weapons, components of
such weapons, and fissile material.

(b) ELEMENTS.—The plan developed under sub-
section (a) shall include the following:

(1) An interagency plan and road map for
verification and monitoring, with respect to policy,
operations, and research, development, testing, and
evaluation, including—
(A) identifying requirements (including funding requirements) for such verification and monitoring; and

(B) identifying and integrating roles, responsibilities, and planning for such verification and monitoring.

(2) An engagement plan for building cooperation and transparency to improve inspections and monitoring.

(3) A research and development program to—

(A) improve monitoring, detection, and in-field inspection and analysis capabilities, including persistent surveillance, remote monitoring, rapid analysis of large data sets, including open-source data; and

(B) coordinate technical and operational requirements early in the process.

(4) Engagement of relevant departments and agencies of the Federal Government and the military departments (including the Open Source Center and the U.S. Atomic Energy Detection System), national laboratories, industry, and academia.

(c) SUBMISSION.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than September 1, 2015, the President shall submit to the appropriate
congressional committees the plan developed under subsection (a).

(2) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DEFINED.—In this subsection, the term appropriate congressional committees means the following:

(A) The congressional defense committees.

(B) The Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate and the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives.

(C) The Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate and the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives.

(D) The Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate and the Committee on Homeland Security of the House of Representatives.

(E) The Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation of the Senate and the Committee on Energy and Commerce of the House of Representatives.