AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118–10

OFFERED BY MR. ALFORD OF MISSOURI

Add at the end of subtitle D of title VI the following:

SEC. 6. EXPANSION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF QUALIFIED LICENSURE, CERTIFICATION, AND BUSINESS RELOCATION COSTS INCURRED BY MILITARY SPOUSES.

Section 453(g) of title 37, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in the subsection heading, by striking “OR BUSINESS COSTS” and all that follows through “ASSIGNMENT” and inserting “AND BUSINESS COSTS”;

(2) in paragraph (1)—

(A) in the matter preceding subparagraph (A), by striking “or qualified business costs” and inserting “and qualified business costs”; 

(B) by amending subparagraph (A) to read as follows:

“(A) the member relocates to a new jurisdiction or geographic area as the result of—

“(i) an assignment to a duty station;
“(ii) a reassignment, either as a result of a permanent change of station or permanent change of assignment, between duty stations; or

“(iii) a transfer from a regular component of a uniformed service into the Selected Reserve of the Ready Reserve of a uniformed service, if the member is authorized a final move from the last duty station to the new jurisdiction or geographic area; and”;

(C) in subparagraph (B), by striking “reassignment” and inserting “relocation”;

(3) in paragraph (2), by striking “reassignment” both places it appears and inserting “relocation”; 

(4) in paragraph (4)—

(A) in subparagraph (A), by striking “movement described in” and all that follows through the semicolon and inserting “the member’s relocation described in paragraph (1);”;

and

(B) in subparagraph (B), by striking “reassignment” and inserting “relocation”; and

(5) in paragraph (5)—
(A) in subparagraph (A), by striking “a movement described in” and all that follows through the semicolon and inserting “the member’s relocation described in paragraph (1);”;

and

(B) in subparagraph (B), by striking “reassignment” and inserting “relocation”.