AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE
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Page 429, after line 7, insert the following:

SEC. 559I. NOTICE PROGRAM RELATING TO OPTIONS FOR NATURALIZATION.

(a) UPON ENLISTMENT.—Every military recruiter or officer overseeing an enlistment shall provide to every recruit proper notice of that recruit’s options for naturalization under title III of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.), and shall inform the recruit of existing programs or services that may aid in the recruit’s naturalization process, including directing the recruit to the Judge Advocate General or other designated point-of-contact for naturalization.

(b) UPON DISCHARGE.—The Secretary of Homeland Security, acting through the Director of U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, and in coordination with the Secretary of Defense, shall provide to every former member of the Armed Forces, upon separation from the Armed Forces, an adequate notice of that former member’s options for naturalization under title III of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1401 et seq.), and shall
inform the former member of existing programs and services that may aid in the naturalization process. The Secretary shall issue along with this notice a copy of each form required for naturalization. When appropriate, the Secretary of Defense shall provide the former member, at no expense to the former member, with the certification described in section 329(b)(3) of such Act (8 U.S.C. 1440(b)(3)).