

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-

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At the end of subtitle D of title VII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. ____ . ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP STAFFING AT**
2 **MEDICAL TREATMENT FACILITIES OF THE**
3 **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.**

4 (a) DEVELOPMENT OF RECOMMENDATIONS.—Not
5 later than 90 days after the date of the enactment of this
6 Act, the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the
7 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and relevant
8 medical societies, shall develop for its military medical
9 treatment facilities—

10 (1) stewardship staffing recommendations,
11 based upon facility size and patient populations; and

12 (2) diagnostics stewardship recommendations to
13 improve antimicrobial stewardship programs.

14 (b) IMPLEMENTATION PLAN.—Not later than 180
15 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Sec-
16 retary shall submit to the Committees on Armed Services
17 of the House of Representatives and the Senate a plan
18 for carrying out the recommendations developed under

- 1 subsection (a) and identify barriers to implementing such
- 2 recommendations.

