

AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

117-54

OFFERED BY MRS. BICE OF OKLAHOMA

At the appropriate place in subtitle B of title VI, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 4** ___ **SPECIAL RULE FOR DISCHARGES RELATED TO**
2 **COVID-19.**

3 Section 373(b) of title 37, United States Code, is
4 amended by adding at the end the following new para-
5 graph:

6 “(4) SPECIAL RULE FOR DISCHARGES RELATED
7 TO COVID-19.—The Secretary concerned shall grant
8 to an individual involuntarily separated from an
9 Armed Force solely on the basis of the refusal of
10 such individual to receive a vaccination against
11 COVID-19 an exception to the requirement to repay
12 a bonus, incentive pay, or similar benefit under sub-
13 section (a) if such bonus, incentive pay, or similar
14 benefit was made before August 24, 2021.”.

