

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1960, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. BILIRAKIS OF FLORIDA**

At the end of title XXVIII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 28** ____ . **ESTABLISHMENT OF MILITARY DIVERS MEMO-**
2 **RIAL AT WASHINGTON NAVY YARD.**

3 (a) **MEMORIAL AUTHORIZED.**—Consistent with the
4 sense of the Congress expressed in section 2855 of the
5 National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013,
6 the Secretary of the Navy may permit a third party to
7 establish and maintain, at a suitable location at the former
8 Navy Dive School at the Washington Navy Yard in the
9 District of Columbia, a memorial to honor the members
10 of the United States Armed Forces who have served as
11 divers and whose service in defense of the United States
12 has been carried out beneath the waters of the world.

13 (b) **LOCATION AND DESIGN OF MONUMENT.**—The
14 actual location at the Washington Navy Yard for the me-
15 morial authorized by subsection (a) and the final design
16 of the memorial shall be subject to the approval of the
17 Secretary. In selecting the site to serve as the location for
18 the memorial, the Secretary shall seek to maximize visitor
19 access to the memorial.

1 (c) MILITARY SUPPORT.—The Secretary shall pro-
2 vide military ceremonial support at the dedication of the
3 memorial authorized by subsection (a).

4 (d) USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS PROHIBITED.—Fed-
5 eral funds may not be used to design, procure, prepare,
6 install, or maintain the memorial authorized by subsection
7 (a), but the Secretary may accept and expend contribu-
8 tions of non-Federal funds and resources for such pur-
9 poses.

