

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 114-

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OFFERED BY MR. BRAT OF VIRGINIA

Add, at the end of the bill, the following:

1 **SEC. 6. GAO STUDY AND REPORT ON POLICY CHANGES**
2 **THAT MAY HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE**
3 **OPIOID EPIDEMIC.**

4 Not later than 270 days after the date of enactment
5 of this Act, the Comptroller General of the United States
6 shall complete a study and submit a report to Congress
7 on federal policy changes that may have contributed to
8 the increase in opioid overdoses and deaths during the 10
9 years preceding the date of enactment of this Act. Such
10 study shall include an analysis of the costs and benefits,
11 whether financial or non-financial, of reversing or revising
12 any such changes individually or in combination, including
13 whether the reversals or revisions would be expected to
14 achieve a reduction in abuse of, addiction to, overdose on,
15 and death from opioids.

