

AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119–4
OFFERED BY MR. BRESNAHAN OF PENNSYLVANIA

At the end of title II, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____.** **REFERENCES TO OPIOID OVERDOSE REVERSAL**
2 **AGENTS IN HHS GRANT PROGRAMS.**

3 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary of Health and
4 Human Services shall ensure that, as appropriate, when-
5 ever the Department of Health and Human Services
6 issues a regulation or guidance for any grant program ad-
7 dressing opioid misuse and use disorders, any reference
8 to an opioid overdose reversal drug (such as a reference
9 to naloxone) is inclusive of any opioid overdose reversal
10 drug that has been approved under section 505 of the Fed-
11 eral Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 355) for
12 emergency treatment of a known or suspected opioid over-
13 dose.

14 (b) **EXISTING REFERENCES.**—

15 (1) **UPDATE.**—Not later than one year after the
16 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of
17 Health and Human Services shall update all ref-
18 erences described in paragraph (2) to be inclusive of
19 any opioid overdose reversal drug that has been ap-

1 proved or otherwise authorized for use by the Food
2 and Drug Administration.

3 (2) REFERENCES.—A reference described in
4 this paragraph is any reference to an opioid overdose
5 reversal drug (such as naloxone) in any regulation or
6 guidance of the Department of Health and Human
7 Services that—

8 (A) was issued before the date of enact-
9 ment of this Act; and

10 (B) is included in—

11 (i) the grant program for State and
12 Tribal response to opioid use disorders
13 under section 1003 of the 21st Century
14 Cures Act (42 U.S.C. 290ee–3 note) (com-
15 monly referred to as “State Opioid Re-
16 sponse Grants” and “Tribal Opioid Re-
17 sponse Grants”); or

18 (ii) the grant program for priority
19 substance use disorder prevention needs of
20 regional and national significance under
21 section 516 of the Public Health Service
22 Act (42 U.S.C. 290bb–22).

