

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
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Page 475, after line 15, insert the following:

1 SEC. 7605. EVA M. CLAYTON FELLOWS PROGRAM STUDY.

2 (a) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this section is to au-
3 thorize a study to identify a suitable fellowship program
4 to facilitate the maintenance of an adequate, nutritious,
5 and safe supply of food to meet human nutritional needs
6 and requirements. Any fellowship program recommended
7 by this study shall be designed to conduct research and
8 education on the eradication of domestic and world hunger
9 and malnutrition.

10 (b) STUDY.—The Secretary of Agriculture shall con-
11 duct a study to identify a suitable fellowship program for
12 faculty and graduate students from qualified institutions
13 of higher education to combat hunger domestically and
14 globally through research and education.

15 (c) SCOPE.—The study conducted under subsection
16 (b) shall include the following:

1 (1) Assessment of the internal infrastructure
2 needs of counties in the United States with below
3 average food security indicators.

4 (2) Assessment of the internal infrastructure
5 needs of lesser developed countries.

6 (3) Determination of the extent to which food
7 and agriculture systems in the United States could
8 be used to help meet the increasing demand for agri-
9 cultural commodities to feed a growing domestic and
10 world population.

11 (4) Assessment of existing fellowship programs
12 within the Department of Agriculture related to
13 hunger and malnutrition.

14 (5) Determination of the extent of which a new
15 fellowship program could address the maintenance of
16 an adequate, nutritious, and safe supply of food to
17 meet human nutritional needs.

18 (6) Determination of the qualifications of suit-
19 able fellows, including—

20 (A) identification of the institutions of
21 higher education at which a fellow shall be serv-
22 ing as faculty to be considered for selection;

23 (B) appropriate fields of academic exper-
24 tise;

1 (C) how to encourage participation of fel-
2 lows from institutions of higher education de-
3 scribed in section 371(a) of the Higher Edu-
4 cation Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1067q(a)); and

5 (D) any other information the Secretary of
6 Agriculture may require.

7 (7) Determination of the qualifications of suit-
8 able graduate student participants, including—

9 (A) identification of the institutions of
10 higher education at which a graduate student
11 shall be enrolled to be considered for selection;

12 (B) appropriate fields of academic exper-
13 tise;

14 (C) how to encourage participation of
15 graduate students from institutions of higher
16 education described in section 371(a) of the
17 Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C.
18 1067q(a)); and

19 (D) any other information as Secretary of
20 Agriculture may require.

21 (8) A detailed fellowship program proposal with
22 explicit framework outlining the participation of fac-
23 ulty and graduate students from institutions of high-
24 er education, which shall include—

1 (A) specification of the mission of the fel-
2 lowship program;

3 (B) justification for the program, including
4 an explanation of differences between the pro-
5 posed program and existing fellowship pro-
6 grams; and

7 (C) any other information the Secretary of
8 Agriculture determines to be necessary for the
9 implementation and execution of the fellowship
10 program.

11 (d) REPORT.—Not later than 2 years after the date
12 on which funds are made available for the study under
13 subsection (b), the Secretary of the Agriculture shall sub-
14 mit to Congress a report containing the findings and rec-
15 ommendations of such study.

