

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118-**

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**OFFERED BY MS. CASTOR OF FLORIDA**

Add at the end of title XI of division A the following:

1 **SEC. 11\_\_\_ . STUDY ON PAY LOCALITIES APPLICABLE TO**  
2 **MILITARY BASES CRITICAL TO NATIONAL SE-**  
3 **CURITY.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the  
5 date of the enactment of this Act, the President’s Pay  
6 Agent shall conduct a study, and submit a report to Con-  
7 gress, on any military installation or Department of De-  
8 fense facility critical to national security located within a  
9 metropolitan statistical area that is in the pay locality des-  
10 ignated as “Rest of U.S.” under section 5304 of title 5,  
11 United States Code. Such study and report shall include  
12 an assessment of whether—

13 (1) any such installation or facility—

14 (A) has experienced the loss of civilian per-  
15 sonnel; or

16 (B) is experiencing issues with recruitment  
17 and retention of civilian personnel; and

1           (2) the combined statistical area applicable to  
2           the appropriate metropolitan statistical area accu-  
3           rately represents the place of residence of the major-  
4           ity of the installation's or facility's civilian per-  
5           sonnel.

6           (b) DEFINITION OF PRESIDENT'S PAY AGENT.—In  
7           this section, the term “President's Pay Agent” means the  
8           Secretary of Labor, the Director of the Office of Manage-  
9           ment and Budget, and the Director of the Office of Per-  
10          sonnel Management.

