AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1540, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. CARTER OF TEXAS

Page 178, after line 8, insert the following new section:

SEC. 527. PROTECTED COMMUNICATIONS BY MEMBERS OF
THE ARMED FORCES AND PROHIBITION OF
RETAliATORY PERSONNEL ACTIONS.

Section 1034(c)(2) of title 10, United States Code,
is amended by adding at the end the following new sub-
paragraph:

“(C) Ideologically based threats or actions
of another member that the member providing
the information reasonably believes could be
counterproductive or detrimental to United
States interests or security.”.