

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-**

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At the end of subtitle B of title XXXI, add the following new section:

**1 SEC. 3121. LIMITATION RELATING TO RECLASSIFICATION**  
**2 OF HIGH-LEVEL WASTE.**

**3 (a) LIMITATION.**—None of the funds authorized to  
**4 be appropriated by this Act or otherwise made available**  
**5 for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of Energy may**  
**6 be obligated or expended by the Secretary of Energy to**  
**7 apply the interpretation of high-level radioactive waste de-**  
**8 scribed in the notice published by the Secretary titled**  
**9 “Supplemental Notice Concerning U.S. Department of**  
**10 Energy Interpretation of High-Level Radioactive Waste”**  
**11 (84 Fed. Reg. 26835), or successor notice, with respect**  
**12 to such waste located in the State of Washington.**

**13 (b) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.**—Nothing in sub-  
**14 section (a) may be construed as an affirmation of the in-**  
**15 terpretation of high-level radioactive waste of the Sec-**  
**16 retary of Energy described in such subsection.**

