

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118-10
OFFERED BY MR. CLOUD OF TEXAS

At the appropriate place in subtitle A of title XVIII,
insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . ANNUAL REPORT AND ASSESSMENT WITH RE-**
2 **SPECT TO EACH SPECIFIC STATUTORY AU-**
3 **THORIZATION FOR THE USE OF MILITARY**
4 **FORCE.**

5 Section 4 of the War Powers Resolution (50 U.S.C.
6 1543) is amended by adding at the end the following:

7 “(d) A specific statutory authorization for the use of
8 military force under this section shall terminate not later
9 than two years after the date of the enactment of such
10 authorization, unless reauthorized pursuant to this Reso-
11 lution.

12 “(e) A specific statutory authorization reauthorized
13 pursuant to subsection (d) shall terminate not later than
14 two years after the date of such reauthorization.

15 “(f) A specific statutory authorization shall specify—

16 “(1) each nation, organization, or force engaged
17 in active hostilities against the United States;

18 “(2) each country in which military force is au-
19 thorized; and

1 “(3) the objective for such authorization.

2 “(g) Not later than 1 year after the date of the enact-
3 ment of any specific statutory authorization of the use of
4 military force under this Resolution, and annually there-
5 after, the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the
6 Secretary of State, shall submit to Congress an unclassi-
7 fied report that includes—

8 “(1) a list of each such specific statutory au-
9 thorization for the use of military force; and

10 “(2) information relating to—

11 “(A) the goal of each such authorization;

12 “(B) the number of United States military
13 personnel deployed pursuant to each such au-
14 thorization;

15 “(C) hostile engagements with respect to
16 United States military personnel;

17 “(D) the number of civilian and combatant
18 casualties;

19 “(E) the support received from allied coun-
20 tries and forces;

21 “(F) the financial costs associated with
22 each such authorization; and

23 “(G) a description with respect to the sta-
24 tus of operations conducted pursuant to each

1 such authorization and the expected scope and
2 duration of such operations.

3 “(h) Not less than once during each 180-day period
4 after the date of the enactment of any specific statutory
5 authorization of military force under this Resolution, the
6 Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Secretary
7 of State, shall provide a briefing to Congress with respect
8 to the most recent report submitted pursuant to sub-
9 section (g).”.

