

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-8**  
**OFFERED BY MR. STAUBER OF MINNESOTA**

At the end of subtitle D of title VIII, insert the following new section:

**1   SEC. 8 \_\_\_\_ . CRITICAL AND RARE EARTH MINERAL SUPPLY**  
**2                                   CHAIN STUDY.**

**3           (a) IN GENERAL.**—Not later than one year after the  
**4** date of the enactment of this Act, the Deputy Assistant  
**5** Secretary of Defense for Industrial Base Resilience, in co-  
**6** ordination with the Secretary of the Interior, Secretary of  
**7** Energy, and the Director of the United States Geological  
**8** Survey, shall submit to the Committees on Armed Services  
**9** and Natural Resources of the House of Representatives  
**10** a report on the feasibility of reshoring domestic critical  
**11** and rare earth mineral mining and production.

**12           (b) CONTENTS.**—The report required under sub-  
**13** section (a) shall include—

**14                   (1)** an identification of the strategic and critical  
**15** materials used by the Department of Defense;

**16                   (2)** an assessment of the reliability of the do-  
**17** mestic supply chains for critical and rare earth min-  
**18** erals and the reliance for such critical and rare  
**19** earth minerals on sources that are located in Peo-

1        ple’s Republic of China or related to or subject to  
2        the control of People’s Republic of China or the Chi-  
3        nese Communist Party;

4            (3) an identification of the domestic and inter-  
5        national sources for the strategic and critical mate-  
6        rials identified under paragraph (1);

7            (4) an identification of domestic locations with  
8        existing commercial manufacturing interest that are  
9        verified as containing large supplies of strategic and  
10       critical materials identified under paragraph (1);

11           (5) a strategy to reshore critical and rare earth  
12       mineral production to the United States; and

13           (6) a plan to implement the strategy required  
14       by paragraph (5), including a timeline for such im-  
15       plementation.

16        (c) STRATEGIC AND CRITICAL MATERIALS DE-  
17       FINED.—In this section, the term “strategic and critical  
18       materials” has the meaning given such term in section 12  
19       of the Strategic and Critical Materials Stock Piling Act  
20       (50 U.S.C. 98h-3).

