

AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
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At the end of subtitle A of title VIII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 8__ . OTHER TRANSACTION AUTHORITY FOR THE**
2 **ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS.**

3 (a) **AUTHORITY.**—Section 2371b(a) of title 10,
4 United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the
5 following new paragraph:

6 “(4) The Chief of the United States Army Corps of
7 Engineers may use the authority under this section to
8 carry out prototype projects, including full-scale pilot dem-
9 onstrations and follow-on activities, to enhance the effec-
10 tiveness of the mission of the Army Corps of Engineers
11 in support of Federal agencies, State, local, and tribal gov-
12 ernments, private entities in the United States, inter-
13 national organizations, and foreign governments.”.

14 (b) **REPORT.**—Not later than 5 years after the date
15 of the enactment of this Act, the Chief of the United
16 States Army Corps of Engineers shall submit to Congress
17 a report use of the authority under paragraph (4) of sec-

1 tion 2371b(a) of title 10, United States Code, as added
2 by subsection (a).

