

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT  
OF H.R. 1960  
OFFERED BY MR. GARCIA OF FLORIDA**

At the end of subtitle A of title XXVIII, add the following new section:

**1 SEC. 2809. PROHIBITION ON PAYMENTS TO PRIVATE HOUS-**  
**2 ING CONTRACTORS.**

3       The Secretary of Defense may not make any pay-  
4 ments to a private housing contractor, as negotiated under  
5 the Military Housing Privatization Initiative of the De-  
6 partment of Defense, if the private contractor has out-  
7 standing local, county, city, town or State tax obligations  
8 dating back over 12 months, as determined by a final  
9 judgment by a tax authority.

