

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 115-23**  
**OFFERED BY MR. HASTINGS OF FLORIDA**

At the end of subtitle C of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12 \_\_\_\_ . REPORT ON STEPS AND PROTOCOLS RELATED**  
2 **TO THE RESCUE, CARE, AND TREATMENT OF**  
3 **CAPTIVES OF THE ISLAMIC STATE.**

4 (a) REPORT REQUIRED.—Not later than 60 days  
5 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary  
6 of Defense shall submit to the Congress a report con-  
7 taining each of the following:

8 (1) A description of any steps the Department  
9 of Defense is taking to ensure coordination between  
10 the Armed Forces of the United States and local  
11 forces in conducting military operations in regions  
12 controlled by the Islamic State where religious or  
13 minority groups are known or thought to be held  
14 captive, in order to incorporate the rescue of such  
15 captives as a secondary objective.

16 (2) A description of any protocols that will be  
17 put in place by the Department of Defense, includ-  
18 ing protocols developed in coordination with the Gov-  
19 ernment of Iraq, for the care and treatment of reli-

1       gious or minority groups rescued from captivity  
2       under the Islamic State, including any protocol for  
3       relocating such groups of captives to safe locations.

4       (b) FORM.—The report required by subsection (a)  
5 shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include  
6 a classified annex.

