

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT**

**119–8**

**OFFERED BY MR. HORSFORD OF NEVADA**

At the end of subtitle E of title VIII, add the following new section:

**1 SEC. 8\_\_\_\_. PROHIBITION ON ELIGIBILITY FOR DEFENSE**  
**2 CONTRACTS FOR CERTAIN ENTITIES.**

**3 (a) IN GENERAL.**—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
**4 sion of law, the Secretary of Defense may not award a**  
**5 contract under this Act or any other provision of law relat-**  
**6 ing to the Department of Defense to an entity if any offi-**  
**7 cer, director, partner, or majority owner of such entity is**  
**8 serving as—**

**9 (1) a presidentially-appointed or Senate-con-**  
**10 firmed official;**

**11 (2) an appointee described in schedule C of sub-**  
**12 part C of part 213 of title 5, Code of Federal Regu-**  
**13 lations;**

**14 (3) a special Government employee, as such**  
**15 term is defined in section 202 of title 18, United**  
**16 States Code; or**

**17 (4) a Senior Executive Service appointee.**

1       (b) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 30 days after the  
2 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall issue  
3 regulations to implement this section, including defini-  
4 tions, thresholds, and procedures for identifying covered  
5 individuals and entities.

6       (c) APPLICABILITY.—This section applies to con-  
7 tracts awarded 30 days or more after the date of enact-  
8 ment of this Act.

