

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-

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OFFERED BY MR. BILIRAKIS OF FLORIDA

At the end of subtitle B of title V, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 5___ . EXPANSIONS OF ELIGIBILITY TO CERTAIN MILI-**
2 **TARY RETIREES FOR CONCURRENT RECEIPT**
3 **OF VETERANS' DISABILITY COMPENSATION**
4 **AND RETIRED PAY OR COMBAT-RELATED**
5 **SPECIAL COMPENSATION.**

6 (a) INCLUSION OF CHAPTER 61 DISABILITY RETIR-
7 EES WITH FEWER THAN 20 YEARS OF SERVICE WHO
8 ARE ELIGIBLE FOR COMBAT-RELATED SPECIAL COM-
9 PENSATION.—Section 1413a(b)(3) of title 10, United
10 States Code, is amended—

11 (1) in subparagraph (A), by striking “In” and
12 inserting “Subject to subparagraph (B), in”; and

13 (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking “In the
14 case of” and all that follows and inserting “The re-
15 tired pay of an eligible combat-related disabled uni-
16 formed services retiree, who is retired under chapter
17 61 of this title with fewer than 20 years of cred-

1 itable service, is not subject to reduction under sec-
2 tions 5304 and 5305 of title 38.”.

3 (b) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

4 (1) SECTION HEADING.—The heading of section
5 1414 of such title is amended to read as follows:

6 “§ 1414. **Members eligible for retired pay who are also**
7 **eligible for veterans’ disability compensa-**
8 **tion: concurrent receipt”.**

9 (2) TABLE OF SECTIONS.—The item relating to
10 such section 1414 in the table of sections at the be-
11 ginning of chapter 71 of such title is amended to
12 read as follows:

 “1414. Members eligible for retired pay who are also eligible for veterans’ dis-
 ability compensation: concurrent receipt.”.

13 (3) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS REFLECTING
14 END OF CONCURRENT RECEIPT PHASE-IN PERIOD.—
15 Such section 1414 is further amended—

16 (A) in subsection (a)(1)—

17 (i) by striking the second sentence;

18 and

19 (ii) by striking subparagraphs (A) and

20 (B);

21 (B) by striking subsection (c) and redesignig-
22 nating subsections (d) and (e) as subsections
23 (c) and (d), respectively; and

1 (C) in subsection (d), as redesignated, by
2 striking paragraphs (3) and (4).

3 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
4 this section shall take effect on the first day of the first
5 month beginning after the date of the enactment of this
6 Act and shall apply to payments for months beginning on
7 or after that date.

