

**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 redesign-  
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.

