AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118-36

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Page 732, after line 3, insert the following (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

1 SEC. 172 . REPORT ON THE MANAGEMENT AND OVER-

- 2 SIGHT OF AI ACQUISITIONS.
- 3 (a) Report.—Not later than 180 days after the ef-
- 4 fective date of this section, the Secretary of Defense shall
- 5 submit to Congress a report on the management and over-
- 6 sight of acquisitions by the Department of Defense of ap-
- 7 plications, services, or systems generated by artificial in-
- 8 telligence and a report on a plan for managing contracts
- 9 related to such acquisitions to address, waste, fraud, and
- 10 delays resulting in wasted contractor efforts. Such report
- 11 shall include information on the ability of each component
- 12 of the Department of Defense to manage governance of
- 13 the acquisition of applications, services, or systems gen-
- 14 erated by artificial intelligence, routine assessments of
- 15 readiness of artificial intelligence systems for deployment,
- 16 and clear lines of authority to approve each phase of the
- 17 acquisition process.

- 1 (b) Artificial Intelligence Defined.—In this
- 2 section, the term "artificial intelligence" has the meaning
- 3 given such term in section 5002(3) of the William M.
- 4 (Mac) Thornberry National Defense Authorization Act for
- 5 Fiscal Year 2021.

