

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118–36**  
**OFFERED BY MS. JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS**

At the appropriate place in subtitle B of title XVII,  
insert the following:

1 **SEC. 17\_\_.** **REPORT ON EFFORTS TO COMBAT BOKO**  
2 **HARAM IN NIGERIA AND THE LAKE CHAD**  
3 **BASIN.**

4 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—Congress—

5 (1) strongly condemns the ongoing violence and  
6 the systematic gross human rights violations against  
7 the people of Nigeria and the Lake Chad Basin car-  
8 ried out by Boko Haram;

9 (2) expresses its support for the people of Nige-  
10 ria and the Lake Chad Basin who wish to live in a  
11 peaceful, economically prosperous, and democratic  
12 region; and

13 (3) calls on the President to support Nigerian,  
14 Lake Chad Basin, and international community ef-  
15 forts to ensure accountability for crimes against hu-  
16 manity committed by Boko Haram against the peo-  
17 ple of Nigeria and the Lake Chad Basin, particu-  
18 larly the young girls kidnapped from Chibok and

1 other internally displaced persons affected by the ac-  
2 tions of Boko Haram.

3 (b) REPORT.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after  
5 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary  
6 of Defense, the Secretary of State, and the Attorney  
7 General shall jointly submit to Congress a report on  
8 efforts to combat Boko Haram in Nigeria and the  
9 Lake Chad Basin.

10 (2) ELEMENTS.—The report required under  
11 paragraph (1) shall include the following elements:

12 (A) A description of initiatives undertaken  
13 by the Department of Defense to assist the  
14 Government of Nigeria and countries in the  
15 Lake Chad Basin to develop capacities to de-  
16 ploy special forces to combat Boko Haram.

17 (B) A description of United States activi-  
18 ties to enhance the capacity of Nigeria and  
19 countries in the Lake Chad Basin to investigate  
20 and prosecute human rights violations per-  
21 petrated against the people of Nigeria and the  
22 Lake Chad Basin by Boko Haram, al-Qaeda af-  
23 filiates, and other terrorist organizations, in

1 order to promote respect for rule of law in Ni-  
2 geria and the Lake Chad Basin.

