

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
FOR H.R. 4909
OFFERED BY MS. JACKSON LEE OF TEXAS**

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

**1 SEC. 843. ASSESSMENT OF OUTREACH FOR SMALL BUSI-
2 NESS CONCERNS OWNED AND CONTROLLED
3 BY WOMEN AND MINORITIES REQUIRED BE-
4 FORE CONVERSION OF CERTAIN FUNCTIONS
5 TO CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE.**

6 No Department of Defense function that is per-
7 formed by Department of Defense civilian employees and
8 is tied to a certain military base may be converted to per-
9 formance by a contractor until the Secretary of Defense
10 conducts an assessment to determine if the Department
11 of Defense has carried out sufficient outreach programs
12 to assist small business concerns owned and controlled by
13 women (as such term is defined in section 8(d)(3)(D) of
14 the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(3)(D))) and
15 small business concerns owned and controlled by socially
16 and economically disadvantaged individuals (as such term
17 is defined in section 8(d)(3)(C) of the Small Business Act

1 (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(3)(C)) that are located in the geo-
2 graphic area near the military base.

