

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 117-13
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At the appropriate place in title LX of division E,
insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. ____ . REQUIRED NOTIFICATION AND REPORTS RE-**
2 **LATED TO PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS AC-**
3 **COUNT.**

4 (a) CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION.—Not later than
5 15 days prior to the obligation of amounts made available
6 to provide assistance pursuant to section 551 of the For-
7 eign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2348), the Sec-
8 retary of State shall submit to the appropriate congres-
9 sional committees a notification, in accordance with the
10 applicable procedures under section 634A of such Act (22
11 U.S.C. 2394-1), that includes, with respect to such assist-
12 ance, the following:

13 (1) An itemized identification of each foreign
14 country or entity the capabilities of which the assist-
15 ance is intended to support.

16 (2) An identification of the amount, type, and
17 purpose of assistance to be provided to each such
18 country or entity.

1 (3) An assessment of the capacity of each such
2 country or entity to effectively implement, benefit
3 from, or use the assistance to be provided for the in-
4 tended purpose identified under paragraph (2).

5 (4) A description of plans to encourage and
6 monitor adherence to international human rights
7 and humanitarian law by the foreign country or enti-
8 ty receiving the assistance.

9 (5) An identification of any implementers, in-
10 cluding third party contractors or other such enti-
11 ties, and the anticipated timeline for implementing
12 any activities to carry out the assistance.

13 (6) As applicable, a description of plans to sus-
14 tain and account for any military or security equip-
15 ment and subsistence funds provided as an element
16 of the assistance beyond the date of completion of
17 such activities, including the estimated cost and
18 source of funds to support such sustainment.

19 (7) An assessment of how such activities pro-
20 mote the following:

21 (A) The diplomatic and national security
22 objectives of the United States.

23 (B) The objectives and regional strategy of
24 the country or entity receiving the assistance.

1 (C) The priorities of the United States re-
2 garding the promotion of good governance, rule
3 of law, the protection of civilians, and human
4 rights.

5 (D) The peacekeeping capabilities of part-
6 ner countries of the country or entity receiving
7 the assistance, including an explanation if such
8 activities do not support peacekeeping.

9 (8) An assessment of the possible impact of
10 such activities on local political and social dynamics,
11 including a description of any consultations with
12 local civil society.

13 (b) REPORTS ON PROGRAMS UNDER PEACEKEEPING
14 OPERATIONS ACCOUNT.—

15 (1) ANNUAL REPORT.—Not later than 90 days
16 after the enactment of this Act, and annually there-
17 after for 5 years, the Secretary of State shall submit
18 to the appropriate congressional committees a report
19 on any security assistance made available, during
20 the three fiscal years preceding the date on which
21 the report is submitted, to foreign countries that re-
22 ceived assistance authorized under section 551 of the
23 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2348)
24 for any of the following purposes:

1 (A) Building the capacity of the foreign
2 military, border security, or law enforcement
3 entities, of the country.

4 (B) Strengthening the rule of law of the
5 country.

6 (C) Countering violent extremist ideology
7 or recruitment within the country.

8 (2) MATTERS.—Each report under paragraph
9 (1) shall include, with respect to each foreign coun-
10 try that has received assistance as specified in such
11 paragraph, the following:

12 (A) An identification of the authority used
13 to provide such assistance and a detailed de-
14 scription of the purpose of assistance provided.

15 (B) An identification of the amount of
16 such assistance and the program under which
17 such assistance was provided.

18 (C) A description of the arrangements to
19 sustain any equipment provided to the country
20 as an element of such assistance beyond the
21 date of completion of the assistance, including
22 the estimated cost and source of funds to sup-
23 port such sustainment.

24 (D) An assessment of the impact of such
25 assistance on the peacekeeping capabilities and

1 security situation of the country, including with
2 respect to the levels of conflict and violence, the
3 local, political, and social dynamics, and the
4 human rights record, of the country.

5 (c) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-
6 FINED.—In this section, the term “appropriate congres-
7 sional committees” means—

8 (1) the Committee on Foreign Relations of the
9 Senate and the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the
10 House of Representatives; and

11 (2) the Committees on Appropriations of the
12 Senate and of the House of Representatives.

