

AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118–10
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At the end of subtitle C of title XVIII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 1859. REPORT TO CONGRESS BY SECRETARY OF**
2 **STATE ON GOVERNMENT-ORDERED INTER-**
3 **NET OR TELECOMMUNICATIONS SHUT-**
4 **DOWS.**

5 Not later than 180 days after the date of the enact-
6 ment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall submit to
7 the Committee on Armed Services and the Committee on
8 Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives and the
9 Committee on Armed Services and the Committee on For-
10 eign Relations of the Senate a report that—

11 (1) describes incidents, occurring during the 5-
12 year period preceding the date of the submission of
13 the report, of government-ordered internet or tele-
14 communications shutdowns in foreign countries;

15 (2) analyzes the impact of such shutdowns on
16 global security and the human rights of those af-
17 fected; and

1 (3) contains a strategy for engaging with the
2 international community to respond to such shut-
3 downs.

