

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-

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Add at the end of subtitle J of title V the following new section:

1 **SEC. 5___ . CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DISINTER-**
2 **MENT AND IDENTIFICATION OF REMAINS OF**
3 **MEMBERS KILLED AT PEARL HARBOR ON DE-**
4 **CEMBER 7, 1941.**

5 (a) CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS.—

6 (1) MARKET RESEARCH.—Before awarding a
7 contract for the disinterment and identification of
8 members of the Armed Forces interred at the Na-
9 tional Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific who per-
10 ished aboard the U.S.S. Arizona during the attack
11 on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, the Sec-
12 retary of Defense, acting through the Director of the
13 Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency, shall iden-
14 tify the required technology and resources to carry
15 out such contract.

16 (2) SOLICITATION.—The Secretary of Defense
17 shall include in a solicitation for such a contract a

1 requirement that the offeror has the required tech-
2 nology and resources identified under paragraph (1).

3 (b) WAIVER.—In carrying out the requirements of
4 this section, the Secretary of Defense may not require the
5 provision of a DNA sample by a family member of a de-
6 ceased member for the disinterment of such member.

7 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 60 days after the date
8 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of the Navy
9 and the Director of the Defense POW/MIA Accounting
10 Agency shall submit to the Committees on Armed Services
11 of the Senate and House of Representatives a report re-
12 garding the use of a private entity to identify members
13 described in subsection (a). Such report shall include the
14 following:

15 (1) Cost comparisons among offerors based on
16 market research to identify available technology and
17 resources described in subsection (b)

18 (2) Expected timelines for such use and such
19 identification.

20 (3) Criteria (including an established record of
21 identifying remains at least 80 years after death) by
22 which to solicit bids from and to select a private en-
23 tity offeror for a contract to identify members de-
24 scribed in subsection (a).

1 (4) An assessment of the waiver process relat-
2 ing to the provision of a DNA sample of a family
3 member for the identification of members described
4 in subsection (c).

