

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 116-57**  
**OFFERED BY MS. LEE OF CALIFORNIA**

At the end of subtitle G of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12 \_\_\_\_ . SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING THE 2001 AU-**  
2 **THORIZATION FOR USE OF MILITARY FORCE.**

3 It is the sense of Congress that

4 (1) the use of the 2001 Authorization for the  
5 Use of Military Force (referred to as the “2001  
6 AUMF”; Public Law 107-40; 50 U.S.C. 1541 note)  
7 has been well beyond the scope that Congress ini-  
8 tially intended when it was passed on September 14,  
9 2001;

10 (2) nearly 18 years after the passage of the  
11 2001 AUMF, it has served as a blank check for any  
12 President to wage war at any time and at any place;  
13 and

14 (3) any new authorization for the use of mili-  
15 tary force that replaces the 2001 AUMF should in-  
16 clude—

17 (A) a sunset clause and timeframe within  
18 which Congress should revisit the authority pro-

1           vided in the new authorization for use of mili-  
2           tary force;

3           (B) a clear and specific expression of mis-  
4           sion objectives, targets, and geographic scope;  
5           and

6           (C) reporting requirements to increase  
7           transparency and ensure proper Congressional  
8           oversight.

