

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-**

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**OFFERED BY MRS. LESKO OF ARIZONA**

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

**1 SEC. 5505. URANIUM CRITICAL MINERAL STATUS.**

2 Notwithstanding the exclusion of fuel minerals from  
3 the definition of the term “critical mineral” under any  
4 Federal law, regulation, or Executive order, uranium—

5 (1) is deemed to be included on the 2022 final  
6 list of critical minerals in the notice entitled “2022  
7 Final List of Critical Minerals” published by the  
8 United States Geological Survey (87 Fed. Reg.  
9 10381; February 24, 2022), and shall be treated as  
10 if included on that list at the time of publication;  
11 and

12 (2) shall be included on each subsequent list of  
13 critical minerals published pursuant to section 7002  
14 of the Energy Act of 2020 (30 U.S.C. 1606).

