

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 115-70**  
**OFFERED BY MR. TED LIEU OF CALIFORNIA**

At the end of subtitle F of title XII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 12 . MODIFICATION OF EXPEDITED PROCEDURES IN**  
2 **THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES UNDER**  
3 **SECTION 36 OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL**  
4 **ACT.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 36 of the Arms Export  
6 Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776) is amended as follows:

7 (1) In subsection (b), by amending paragraph  
8 (3) to read as follows:

9 “(3) Any such joint resolution shall be considered in  
10 the House of Representatives in accordance with the following:  
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12 (A)(i) If the committee to which a joint resolution  
13 with respect to a proposed sale has been referred  
14 has not reported it at the end of 10 calendar  
15 days after its referral, it shall be in order to move  
16 either to discharge the committee from further consideration  
17 of such resolution or to discharge the  
18 committee from further consideration of any other

1 resolution with respect to such proposed sale which  
2 has been referred to the committee.

3 “(ii) A motion to discharge may be made only  
4 by an individual favoring the resolution, shall be  
5 highly privileged (except that it may not be made  
6 after the committee has reported a resolution with  
7 respect to the same proposed sale), and debate  
8 thereon shall be limited to not more than one hour,  
9 to be divided equally between those favoring and  
10 those opposing the resolution. An amendment to the  
11 motion shall not be in order, and it shall not be in  
12 order to move to reconsider the vote by which the  
13 motion was agreed to or disagreed to.

14 “(iii) If the motion to discharge is agreed to or  
15 disagreed to, the motion may not be renewed, nor  
16 may another motion to discharge the committee be  
17 made with respect to any other resolution with re-  
18 spect to the same proposed sale.

19 “(B)(i) When the committee has reported, or  
20 has been discharged from further consideration of, a  
21 resolution, it shall be at any time thereafter in order  
22 (even though a previous motion to the same effect  
23 has been disagreed to) to move to proceed to the  
24 consideration of the resolution. The motion shall be  
25 highly privileged and shall not be debatable. An

1 amendment to the motion shall not be in order, and  
2 it shall not be in order to move to reconsider the  
3 vote by which the motion was agreed to or disagreed  
4 to.

5 “(ii) Debate on the resolution referred to in  
6 clause (i) of this subparagraph shall be limited to  
7 not more than 10 hours, which shall be divided  
8 equally between those favoring and those opposing  
9 such resolution. A motion further to limit debate  
10 shall not be debatable. An amendment to, or motion  
11 to recommit, the resolution shall not be in order,  
12 and it shall not be in order to move to reconsider  
13 the vote by which such resolution was agreed to or  
14 disagreed to.

15 “(C)(i) Motions to postpone, made with respect  
16 to the discharge from committee, or the consider-  
17 ation of a resolution and motions to proceed to the  
18 consideration of other business, shall be decided  
19 without debate.

20 “(ii) Appeals from the decision of the Chair re-  
21 lating to the application of the rules of the House  
22 of Representatives to the procedure relating to a res-  
23 olution shall be decided without debate.

24 “(D) Notwithstanding any other provision of  
25 this paragraph, if the House of Representatives has

1 approved a resolution with respect to a proposed  
2 sale, then it shall not be in order to consider in the  
3 House of Representatives any other resolution with  
4 respect to the same such sale.”.

5 (2) In each of subsections (c)(3)(B) and  
6 (d)(5)(B) by striking “For the purpose” and all that  
7 follows through “House of Representatives” and in-  
8 serting “Any such joint resolution shall be consid-  
9 ered in the House of Representatives in accordance  
10 with the provisions of subsection (b)(3) of this sec-  
11 tion.”.

12 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
13 subsection (a) take effect on the date of the enactment  
14 of this Act and apply with respect to any joint resolution  
15 described in subsection (b)(3), (c)(3)(B), or (d)(5)(B) of  
16 section 36 of the Arms Export Control Act that is intro-  
17 duced in the House of Representatives or the Senate, as  
18 the case may be, on or after such date of enactment.

