AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 115–70
OFFERED BY MR. LIPINSKI OF ILLINOIS

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

SEC. 5. EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE FOR VETERANS WHO PURSUE CERTAIN APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS.

Section 3313(g)(3) of title 38, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following new sub-
paragraphs:

“(E) In the case of an individual pursuing a program of apprenticeship (that is registered with the Employment and Training Administra-
tion of the Department of Labor) on more than a half-time but less than full-time basis, an annual stipend for tuition and fees not to exceed the lesser of—

“(i) the actual net cost for tuition and fees for the program of apprenticeship after the application of any waiver of, or reduction in, tuition and fees; or
“(ii) 25 percent of the amount calculated under subsection (c)(1)(A)(ii).

“(F) In the case of an individual pursuing a program of apprenticeship (that is registered with the Employment and Training Administration of the Department of Labor and for which the individual provides proof of current registration to the Secretary) that is not sponsored by the employer of the individual, an annual stipend for tuition and fees not to exceed the lesser of—

“(i) the actual net cost for tuition and fees for the program of apprenticeship after the application of any waiver of, or reduction in, tuition and fees; or

“(ii) 25 percent of the amount calculated under subsection (c)(1)(A)(ii).”.

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