

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-8**  
**OFFERED BY MR. LYNCH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Page 433, beginning line 5, strike “the Secretary of Defense shall conduct” and insert “the Secretary of Defense, acting through the Commander of the United States Special Operations Command, shall seek to enter into an agreement with an academic medical center under which such academic medical center shall conduct”.

Page 434, beginning line 11, strike “the Secretary commences the study under subsection (a)” and insert “the study under subsection (a) is commenced”.

Page 434, beginning line 19, strike “the Secretary completes the study under subsection (a)” and insert “the study under subsection (a) is completed”.

Page 435, after line 22, insert the following new subsection:

- 1       (f) FUNDING.—
- 2           (1) INCREASE.—Notwithstanding the amounts
- 3       set forth in the funding tables in division D, the
- 4       amount authorized to be appropriated in section 201
- 5       for Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation,
- 6       Defense-wide for Warrior Systems, line 292, as spec-

1       ified in the corresponding funding table in section  
2       4201, is hereby increased by \$5,000,000 for a study  
3       on the effects of service in the special operations  
4       forces on the health of members of the Armed  
5       Forces.

6               (2) OFFSET.—Notwithstanding the amounts set  
7       forth in the funding tables in division D, the amount  
8       authorized to be appropriated in section 301 for Op-  
9       eration and Maintenance, Air Force for Base Sup-  
10      port, line 090, as specified in the corresponding  
11      funding table in section 4301, is hereby reduced by  
12      \$5,000,000.

