

**AMENDMENT TO**  
**RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-54**  
**OFFERED BY MR. LYNCH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

At the end of subtitle G of title VI, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 6\_\_\_ . PLAN FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF CERTAIN EX-**  
2 **PENSES OF CERTAIN MEMBERS AND VET-**  
3 **ERANS RELATED TO AFGHANISTAN EVACU-**  
4 **ATION.**

5 (a) PLAN.—Not later than one year after the date  
6 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense  
7 shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees  
8 a plan (in this section referred to as the “Plan”) to reim-  
9 burse members of the Armed Forces serving on active duty  
10 and veterans who expended personal funds in support of  
11 efforts to evacuate, from Afghanistan, Afghan nationals  
12 who previously supported military or reconstruction mis-  
13 sions of the United States in Afghanistan.

14 (b) CONSULTATION.—In developing the plan, the  
15 Secretary shall consult with the following:

- 16 (1) The Secretary of State.  
17 (2) The Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

1           (3) Non-governmental organizations and vet-  
2           erans service organizations with expertise in sup-  
3           porting the evacuation of Afghan nationals from Af-  
4           ghanistan.

5           (c) ELEMENTS.—The Plan shall include the following  
6 elements:

7           (1) Eligibility requirements for members of the  
8           Armed Forces serving on active duty and veterans to  
9           file a reimbursement claim under the Plan.

10          (2) The criteria for reimbursement, including  
11          the types of reimbursable claims and maximum re-  
12          imbursement limit.

13          (3) The process for filing a reimbursement  
14          claim.

15          (4) The supporting documentation required to  
16          file a reimbursement claim.

17          (5) An estimate of the costs that would be asso-  
18          ciated with implementing the Plan.

19          (d) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—Not later than one year  
20 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary  
21 shall of Defense post the plan on a publicly available  
22 website of the Department of Defense.

23          (e) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-  
24 FINED.—In this section, the term “appropriate congres-  
25 sional committees” means:

1           (1) With respect to the House of Representa-  
2           tives:

3                   (A) The Committee on Oversight and Re-  
4           form.

5                   (B) The Committee on Armed Services.

6           (2) With respect to the Senate:

7                   (A) The Committee on Homeland Security  
8           and Government Affairs.

9                   (B) The Committee on Armed Services.

