

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-
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Insert after section 202 the following:

1 **SEC. 203. FORFEITURE OF BENEFITS FOR FORMER PRESI-**
2 **DENTS CONVICTED OF A FELONY.**

3 The Act entitled “An Act to provide retirement, cler-
4 ical assistants, and free mailing privileges to former Presi-
5 dents of the United States, and for other purposes”, ap-
6 proved August 25, 1958 (commonly known as the
7 “Former Presidents Act of 1958”; 3 U.S.C. 102 note),
8 is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “Each former
10 President” and inserting “Subject to subsection (h),
11 each former President”;

12 (2) in subsection (f), by striking paragraph (2)
13 and inserting:

14 “(2) who has not been impeached by the House
15 of Representatives and convicted by the Senate pur-
16 suant to the impeachment.”; and

17 (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-
18 section:

1 “(h)(1) If a former President is finally convicted of
2 a felony for which every act or omission that is needed
3 to satisfy the elements of the felony is committed during
4 or after the period such former President holds the office
5 of President of the United States of America, or was fi-
6 nally convicted of such a felony while holding such office—

7 “(A) no monetary allowance under subsection
8 (a) may be provided to such former President;

9 “(B) no funds may be obligated or expended
10 under subsection (g) with respect to such former
11 President except to the extent necessary to maintain
12 the security of such former President, as determined
13 by the Director of the Secret Service; and

14 “(C) such former President shall repay any
15 amounts received under subsection (a) during the
16 period beginning on the date on which such former
17 President is initially convicted of the felony and end-
18 ing on the date such former President is finally con-
19 victed of the felony.

20 “(2) The term ‘finally convicted’ means a convic-
21 tion—

22 “(A) which has not been appealed and is no
23 longer appealable because the time for taking an ap-
24 peal has expired; or

1 “(B) which has been appealed and the appeals
2 process for which is completed.”.

