

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 117-13
OFFERED BY MR. MAST OF FLORIDA

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

1 **SEC. 612. HAZARDOUS DUTY PAY FOR MEMBERS OF THE**
2 **ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS WHO PERFORM**
3 **DUTY AT LAKE OKEECHOBEE, FLORIDA, DUR-**
4 **ING A HARMFUL ALGAL BLOOM.**

5 (a) REQUIREMENT.—The Secretary of the Army shall
6 pay hazardous duty pay under section 351 of title 37,
7 United States Code, to a member of the Army Corps of
8 Engineers for each month beginning on or after the date
9 of the enactment of this Act during which the member
10 performs covered duty.

11 (b) SERVICE RECORDS.—The Secretary shall indicate
12 in the service record of a member who receives hazardous
13 duty pay pursuant to this section that such member was
14 exposed to microcystin in the line of duty.

15 (c) COVERED DUTY DEFINED.—In this section, the
16 term “covered duty” means duty performed—

17 (1) during a period when the Florida Depart-
18 ment of Health has determined that there is a con-
19 centration of microcystin of greater than 8 parts per

1 billion in the waters of Lake Okeechobee resulting
2 from a harmful algal bloom in such lake; and

3 (2) at or near any of the following structures:

4 (A) S77.

5 (B) S78.

6 (C) S79.

7 (D) S80.

8 (E) S308.

