

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118-

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At the appropriate place in subtitle E of title VIII,
insert the following:

1 **SEC. 8__ . REPORT ON THE UNITED STATES DEFENSE AND**
2 **TECHNOLOGICAL INDUSTRIAL BASE.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the
4 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense
5 shall submit to the congressional defense committees a re-
6 port containing—

7 (1) an assessment of the extent to which the in-
8 efficiencies and inadequacies of the defense and
9 technological industrial base impede the timely pro-
10 duction and delivery of air and missile defense com-
11 ponents to the allies and partners of the United
12 States located in the area of responsibility of the
13 United States Central Command;

14 (2) an assessment of the ongoing efforts of the
15 Department of Defense and other Federal agencies
16 to remedy inefficiencies and inadequacies described
17 in paragraph (1); and

1 (3) a strategy for addressing the inefficiencies
2 or inadequacies described in paragraph (1), includ-
3 ing an evaluation of the benefits of procuring the
4 components described in such paragraph from and
5 industrial cooperation with allies and partners of the
6 United States located outside the area of responsi-
7 bility of the United States Central Command.

8 (b) FORM.—The report required by subsection (a)
9 shall be in an unclassified form but may contain a classi-
10 fied annex.

