

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118-

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At the end of subtitle C of title XVII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 17___. PROVISION BY DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AF-**
2 **FAIRS HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS OF REC-**
3 **COMMENDATIONS AND OPINIONS REGARDING**
4 **VETERAN PARTICIPATION IN STATE MARI-**
5 **JUANA PROGRAMS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
7 sion of law, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs shall author-
8 ize physicians and other health care providers employed
9 by the Department of Veterans Affairs to—

10 (1) provide recommendations and opinions to
11 veterans who are residents of States with State
12 marijuana programs regarding the participation of
13 veterans in such State marijuana programs; and

14 (2) complete forms reflecting such recommenda-
15 tions and opinions.

16 (b) STATE DEFINED.—In this section, the term
17 “State” means each of the several States, the District of
18 Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, any terri-

- 1 tory or possession of the United States, and each federally
- 2 recognized Indian Tribe.

