

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118-36**

**OFFERED BY MR. MAST OF FLORIDA**

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

1 **SEC. 17\_\_\_ . TRANSMISSION OF INFORMATION RELEVANT**  
2 **TO PERSONNEL SECURITY.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of State shall take  
4 such steps as may be necessary to ensure, consistent with  
5 subsection (b), that information relevant to the safety or  
6 security of any covered individual that is transmitted to  
7 the Secretary through the Dissent Channel, or through  
8 any other or subsequent policy channel reserved for dis-  
9 senting and alternative substantive foreign policy issues,  
10 is promptly shared with—

11 (1) the Secretary of Defense;

12 (2) the heads of appropriate elements of the in-  
13 telligence community (as such term is defined in sec-  
14 tion 3 of the National Security Act of 1947 (50  
15 U.S.C. 3003); and

16 (3) the head of any other relevant Federal de-  
17 partment or agency.

18 (b) PROTECTION OF SOURCES.—In transmitting in-  
19 formation in accordance with subsection (a) the Secretary

1 of State shall ensure that the identity and privacy of indi-  
2 viduals transmitting such information to the Secretary re-  
3 mains protected, and that only the information described  
4 in such subsection is transmitted.

5 (c) COVERED INDIVIDUAL DEFINED.—In this sec-  
6 tion, the term “covered individual” means—

7 (1) an individual employed at a United States  
8 diplomatic or consular post; or

9 (2) a member of the United States Armed  
10 Forces.

