

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT**

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**OFFERED BY MS. MENG OF NEW YORK**

At the end of subtitle B of title VII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 7\_\_\_ . DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AWARENESS CAM-**  
2 **PAIGN ON CRYOPRESERVATION.**

3 (a) AWARENESS CAMPAIGN.—Not later than 30 days  
4 after the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense  
5 shall conduct an awareness campaign regarding the avail-  
6 ability of reimbursement for expenses incurred in the test-  
7 ing, cryopreservation, shipping, and storage of gametes in  
8 a private storage facility for members of the Armed  
9 Forces.

10 (b) MODES OF OUTREACH.—In carrying out sub-  
11 section (a), the Secretary of Defense shall ensure—

12 (1) that a variety of modes of outreach are in-  
13 corporated into the awareness campaign conducted  
14 under that subsection, including email and online in-  
15 formation sessions;

16 (2) that Military Service Organizations, each  
17 Service Academy (as that term is defined in section  
18 347 of title 10, United States Code), and Officer

1 Candidate Schools are informed of such awareness  
2 campaign so that each such entity can further dis-  
3 seminate information regarding such awareness cam-  
4 paign; and

5 (3) that members of the Armed Forces are in-  
6 formed of such awareness campaign during initial  
7 training.

8 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date  
9 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense  
10 shall submit to the Committee on Armed Services of the  
11 House of Representatives and the Committee on Armed  
12 Services of the Senate a report that includes a summary  
13 of the actions taken to conduct the awareness campaign  
14 required under subsection (a) and how the Secretary plans  
15 to better engage members of the Armed Forces to improve  
16 the awareness of such members of the availability of reim-  
17 bursement for expenses described in subsection (a) for  
18 such members.

