

AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119–5
OFFERED BY MR. BILIRAKIS OF FLORIDA

At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert
the following new section:

1 **SEC. 4____. ELIGIBILITY OF DISABILITY RETIREES WITH**
2 **COMBAT-RELATED DISABILITIES FOR CON-**
3 **CURRENT RECEIPT OF VETERANS’ DIS-**
4 **ABILITY COMPENSATION AND RETIRED PAY.**

5 (a) CONCURRENT RECEIPT IN CONNECTION WITH
6 CRSC.—Section 1413a(b)(3) of title 10, United States
7 Code, is amended—

8 (1) in subparagraph (A)—

9 (A) by striking “of this title, the amount”
10 and inserting “of this title—

11 “(i) the retired pay of the retiree is
12 not subject to reduction under sections
13 5304 and 5305 of title 38; and

14 “(ii) the amount”; and

15 (B) by striking “after any such reduction
16 under sections 5304 and 5305 of title 38”; and

17 (2) in subparagraph (B)—

1 (A) by striking “creditable service, the
2 amount” and inserting the following: “cred-
3 itable service—

4 “(i) the retired pay of the retiree is
5 not subject to reduction under sections
6 5304 and 5305 of title 38; and

7 “(ii) the amount”; and

8 (B) by striking “after any such reduction
9 under sections 5304 and 5305 of title 38”.

10 (b) CONCURRENT RECEIPT GENERALLY.—Section
11 1414(b) of title 10, United States Code, is amended to
12 read as follows:

13 “(b) SPECIAL RULE FOR CHAPTER 61 DISABILITY
14 RETIREES.—A member or former member of the uni-
15 formed services who is entitled to retired pay under chap-
16 ter 61 of this title for any month and who is also entitled
17 for that month to veterans’ disability compensation for a
18 combat-related disability (as that term is defined in sec-
19 tion 1413a(e) of this title) is entitled to be paid both for
20 that month without regard to sections 5304 and 5305 of
21 title 38.”.

22 (c) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

23 (1) AMENDMENTS REFLECTING END OF CON-
24 CURRENT RECEIPT PHASE-IN PERIOD.—Section

1 1414 of title 10, United States Code, is further
2 amended—

3 (A) in subsection (a)(1)—

4 (i) by striking the second sentence;

5 and

6 (ii) by striking subparagraphs (A) and

7 (B);

8 (B) by striking subsection (c) and redesign-
9 nating subsections (d) and (e) as subsections
10 (c) and (d), respectively; and

11 (C) in subsection (d), as redesignated, by
12 striking paragraphs (3) and (4).

13 (2) SECTION HEADING.—The heading of such
14 section 1414 is amended to read as follows:

15 **“§ 1414. Members eligible for retired pay who are also**
16 **eligible for veterans’ disability compensa-**
17 **tion: concurrent receipt.”.**

18 (3) TABLE OF SECTIONS.—The table of sections
19 at the beginning of chapter 71 of such title is
20 amended by striking the item relating to section
21 1414 and inserting the following new item:

 “1414. Members eligible for retired pay who are also eligible for veterans’ dis-
 ability compensation: concurrent receipt.”.

22 (4) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
23 1413a(f) of such title is amended by striking “Sub-
24 section (d)” and inserting “Subsection (c)”.

1 (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
2 this section shall take effect on the first day of the first
3 month beginning after the date of the enactment of this
4 Act and shall apply to payments for months beginning on
5 or after that date.

