

**AMENDMENT TO**  
**RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-54**  
**OFFERED BY MRS. MILLER OF WEST VIRGINIA**

At the end of subtitle B of title V, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 5\_\_\_ . RECOGNITION OF THE ARMY INTERAGENCY**  
2 **TRAINING AND EDUCATION CENTER AS A**  
3 **JOINT ACTIVITY OF THE NATIONAL GUARD;**  
4 **REPORT.**

5 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress makes the following find-  
6 ings:

7 (1) AITEC has been designated by the National  
8 Guard Bureau as a joint activity of the Army and  
9 Air National Guard responsible for the following ac-  
10 tivities:

11 (A) Mission assurance and other critical  
12 infrastructure protection activities in support of  
13 the Department of Defense and Department of  
14 Homeland Security entities.

15 (B) All-hazards disaster response training  
16 and exercises for the National Guard in part-  
17 nership with Federal, State, local, territorial,  
18 and Tribal response enterprise organizations.

1           (2) AITEC is composed of members of the  
2           Army and Air National Guard who possess relevant  
3           private-sector critical skills and experience in the  
4           fields of emergency response, engineering, cybersecu-  
5           rity, electric power, logistics, telecommunications,  
6           utilities, medical, rescue, or such other fields as de-  
7           termined by evolving mission requirements.

8           (3) The National Guard Bureau has designated  
9           AITEC as having the following duties:

10           (A) Providing the Department of Defense  
11           with—

12                   (i) unique civilian expertise and expe-  
13                   rience of critical infrastructure protection,  
14                   Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nu-  
15                   clear response, emergency management,  
16                   control systems cybersecurity, and incident  
17                   management;

18                   (ii) training and exercise support of  
19                   Joint Interagency Training Capability, in-  
20                   cluding Joint Force Headquarters-State  
21                   and Joint Task Force-State Headquarters  
22                   elements, National Guard Reaction Forces,  
23                   Weapons of Mass Destruction Civil Sup-  
24                   port Teams, and Chemical, Biological, Ra-  
25                   diological, Nuclear, or High-Yield Explo-

1           sive Emergency Response Force Packages,  
2           and Homeland Response Forces; and

3                   (iii) personnel to conduct Mission As-  
4           surance, Cybersecurity, Port Security &  
5           Resiliency, and other critical infrastructure  
6           assessments and training along with  
7           Counter-IED and bombing prevention  
8           training to intergovernmental partners and  
9           first responders.

10           (B) On an ongoing basis, partnering with  
11           the military departments, the combatant com-  
12           mands, other Department of Defense agencies,  
13           the Department of Homeland Security, and  
14           State, local, territorial, and Tribal governments  
15           to conduct—

16                   (i) all-threats, all-hazards Mission As-  
17           surance assessments in the areas of Mis-  
18           sion Assurance Related Programs and Ac-  
19           tivities, including cyber supply chain risk  
20           management, position, navigation, and tim-  
21           ing, and unmanned systems on Defense  
22           Critical Infrastructure;

23                   (ii) all-hazards and disaster response  
24           training and exercise support;

1 (iii) infrastructure protection assess-  
2 ment activities, cybersecurity, and counter-  
3 IED and bombing prevention training for  
4 the Department of Homeland Security;  
5 and

6 (iv) Port Security & Resiliency assess-  
7 ments for the Coast Guard.

8 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 120 days after the date  
9 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense,  
10 in consultation with the Assistant Secretary of Defense  
11 for Homeland Defense and Global Security and the Chief  
12 of the National Guard Bureau, shall submit to the appro-  
13 priate congressional committees a report that includes—

14 (1) an organizational plan and an estimate of  
15 the annual costs necessary for AITEC to complete  
16 its duties as described in subsection (a)(3); and

17 (2) the manpower requirements needed to ade-  
18 quately staff such duties.

19 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

20 (1) The term “AITEC” means the Army Inter-  
21 agency Training and Education Center.

22 (2) The term “appropriate congressional com-  
23 mittees” means—

24 (A) the Committee on Armed Services, the  
25 Committee on Homeland Security and Govern-

1           mental Affairs, and the Committee on Appro-  
2           priations of the Senate; and

3                   (B) the Committee on Armed Services, the  
4           Committee on Homeland Security, and the  
5           Committee on Appropriations of the House of  
6           Representatives.

7           (3) The term “critical infrastructure” has the  
8           meaning given the term in section 702 of the De-  
9           fense Production Act of 1950 (50 U.S.C. 4552).

