

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-8
OFFERED BY MR. MOOLENAAR OF MICHIGAN

Page 762, insert after line 3 the following:

1 **SEC. 1207. TRANSPARENCY FOR AGENTS OF CHINESE MILI-**
2 **TARY COMPANIES.**

3 (a) INAPPLICABILITY OF CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS
4 FROM REGISTRATION UNDER FOREIGN AGENTS REG-
5 ISTRATION ACT OF 1938 FOR AGENTS OF CHINESE MILI-
6 TARY COMPANIES.—

7 (1) EXEMPTION FOR PERSONS ENGAGED IN
8 COMMERCE OR CERTAIN OTHER ACTIVITIES.—Sec-
9 tion 3(d) of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of
10 1938, as amended (22 U.S.C. 613(d)) is amended by
11 striking the period at the end and inserting the fol-
12 lowing: “, except that paragraphs (1) and (2) shall
13 not apply to a person who is an agent of a Chinese
14 military company.”.

15 (2) EXEMPTION FOR PERSONS REGISTERED AS
16 LOBBYISTS UNDER LOBBYING DISCLOSURE ACT OF
17 1995.—Section 3(h) of such Act (22 U.S.C. 613(h))
18 is amended by striking the period at the end and in-
19 serting the following: “, except that this subsection

1 shall not apply to a person who is an agent of a Chi-
2 nese military company.”.

3 (b) DEFINITION.—Section 1 of such Act (2 U.S.C.
4 611) is amended by adding at the end the following new
5 subsection:

6 “(q)(1) The term ‘agent of a Chinese military com-
7 pany’ means—

8 “(A) a covered lobbyist; or

9 “(B) any entity or individual acting within the
10 United States as a public relations counsel, publicity
11 agent, or consultant for a Chinese military company.

12 “(2) The term ‘covered lobbyist’ has the meaning
13 given in section 851 of the Servicemember Quality of Life
14 Improvement and National Defense Authorization Act for
15 Fiscal Year 2025 (Public Law 118–159).

16 “(3) The term ‘Chinese military company’ means any
17 entity on the list maintained by the Department of De-
18 fense in accordance with section 1260H of the William M.
19 (Mac) Thornberry National Defense Authorization Act for
20 Fiscal Year 2021 (Public Law 116–283; 10 U.S.C. 113
21 note) or a subsidiary of such entity.”.

22 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by
23 this section shall take effect 30 days after the date of the
24 enactment of this Act.

