

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118-36

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Add at the end of subtitle D of title XII the following:

1 **SEC. 1236. FUTURE OF TURKEY IN NATO.**

2 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
3 gress that—

4 (1) the Preamble and Article 2 of the North At-
5 lantic Treaty, done at Washington, DC, April 4,
6 1949, are essential to the accomplishment of the
7 purpose of the treaty and the mission of the North
8 Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO); and

9 (2) Turkey is in material breach of the North
10 Atlantic Treaty.

11 (b) STATEMENT OF POLICY.—It is the policy of the
12 United States to use the voice and vote of the United
13 States at NATO to—

14 (1) seek a declaration by the North Atlantic
15 Council that Turkey is in material breach of North
16 Atlantic Treaty; and

17 (2) seek Turkey's suspension from NATO.

18 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date
19 of the enactment of this Act and annually thereafter for

1 four years, the Secretary of State shall submit to the ap-
2 propriate congressional committees report on whether—

3 (1) Turkey is in material breach of North At-
4 lantic Treaty;

5 (2) the Government of Turkey, agencies or in-
6 strumentalities of the Government of Turkey (in-
7 cluding state-owned enterprises), any officials of the
8 Government of Turkey, or any individuals operating
9 directly or indirectly for or on behalf of the Govern-
10 ment of Turkey provide material support or re-
11 sources to members or affiliates of an organization
12 designated as a foreign terrorist organization under
13 section 219(a) of the Immigration and Nationality
14 Act (8 U.S.C. 1189(a)); and

15 (3) whether the Turkish Armed Forces have de-
16 ployed or are in the process of deploying air defense
17 systems originating from the defense or intelligence
18 sectors of the Government of the Russian Federa-
19 tion.

20 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

21 (1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-
22 TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional com-
23 mittees” means the congressional defense commit-
24 tees, the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House

1 of Representatives, and the Committee on Foreign
2 Relations of the Senate.

3 (2) MATERIAL BREACH.—The term “material
4 breach” has the meaning given such term in Article
5 60 of the Vienna Convention on the Law of Treaties,
6 concluded at Vienna May 23, 1969.

