

**AMENDMENT TO**  
**RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-33**  
**OFFERED BY MR. LUCAS OF OKLAHOMA**

Add at the end of subtitle E of title X the following:

1 **SEC. 10** \_\_\_\_\_ **REPORT ON USING TRUSTED COMMERCIAL**  
2 **TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROVIDERS FOR**  
3 **THE DEPLOYMENT OF 5G AND 6G WIRELESS**  
4 **COMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS.**

5 (a) REPORT.—No later than 180 days after enactment,  
6 the Secretary of Defense shall submit to congressional de-  
7 fense committees a report that, at a minimum, includes  
8 the following:

9 (1) A strategy for the Secretary of Defense to  
10 use a consortium of trusted commercial tele-  
11 communications providers from the United States  
12 and allied-nations to accelerate the deployment of se-  
13 cure 5G and 6G wireless communications networks.

14 (2) An assessment of whether such a consor-  
15 tium will enable the Department to match or exceed  
16 the turnkey integrated solutions (including radio,  
17 core, and cloud) offered globally by State-subsidized  
18 entities.

1           (3) A summary of how 5G Standalone and net-  
2           work slicing deployed through such a consortium will  
3           provide network superiority and decision advantage  
4           for the warfighter in contested environments.

5           (4) An identification of any regulatory or fund-  
6           ing barriers to transitioning any successful pilot pro-  
7           gram or use case developed by a member of such a  
8           consortium into permanent programs of record.

9           (5) A description of how such a consortium  
10          could be used to identify use cases for any consider-  
11          ations by the Secretary to advance the integration of  
12          multi-company commercial innovations to provide ca-  
13          pabilities at the tactical edge.

14          (6) A list of technological categories where  
15          using consortium-developed use cases and pilot pro-  
16          grams may provide the Department with unique, col-  
17          laborative end-to-end solutions to mission require-  
18          ments.

19          (7) An evaluation of the security benefits of  
20          using secure and trusted telecommunications hard-  
21          ware in reducing tactical supply chain  
22          vulnerabilities.

1 (b) FORM.—The report required by subsection (a)  
2 shall be submitted in unclassified form unclassified but  
3 may include a classified annex.

