

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118-10
OFFERED BY MR. OGLES OF TENNESSEE

At the end of subtitle A of title XIII, add the following:

1 **SEC. __. DESIGNATION OF TAIWAN AS A TOP SECURITY**

2 **PARTNER OF THE UNITED STATES.**

3 (a) ACTIONS.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—For the sole purpose of
5 strengthening Taiwan’s self-defense capabilities, the
6 Secretary of Defense shall take such actions as may
7 be necessary to designate Taiwan as a Top Security
8 Partner of the United States.

9 (2) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—The designation
10 required by this subsection may not be construed to
11 diminish any benefit, security or otherwise, afforded
12 to Taiwan as of the date of the enactment of this
13 Act.

14 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 60 days after the date
15 of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter, the
16 Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Secretary
17 of State, shall submit to the congressional defense commit-
18 tees a report identifying obstacles to United States assist-
19 ance in strengthening Taiwan’s self-defense capabilities as

1 well as any policy recommendations to address those ob-
2 stacles.

3 (c) CLARIFICATION.—The designation of Top Secu-
4 rity Partner of the United States may not be applied to
5 any other country other than Taiwan.

6 (d) SUNSET.—This section shall terminate on the
7 date that is 10 years after the date of the enactment of
8 this Act.

