

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119-8
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At the end of subtitle A of title XVII, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 17___. CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT OF IMPACT OF**
2 **INTERNATIONAL STATE ARMS EMBARGOES**
3 **ON ISRAEL AND ACTIONS TO ADDRESS DE-**
4 **FENSE CAPABILITY GAPS.**

5 (a) REQUIREMENT FOR CONTINUOUS ASSESS-
6 MENT.—

7 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Defense, in
8 consultation with the Secretary of State and the Di-
9 rector of National Intelligence, shall conduct a con-
10 tinual assessment of—

11 (A) the scope, nature, and impact of cur-
12 rent and emerging arms embargoes, sanctions,
13 restrictions, or limitations imposed by foreign
14 states or international organizations on Israel's
15 defense capabilities; and

16 (B) the resulting gaps or vulnerabilities in
17 Israel's security posture, including its ability to
18 maintain its qualitative military edge.

1 (2) FREQUENCY.—The assessment required
2 under paragraph (1) shall—

3 (A) be updated not less than once every
4 180 days; and

5 (B) be submitted to the congressional de-
6 fense committees in both unclassified form and,
7 as necessary, a classified annex.

8 (b) MITIGATION AND SUPPORT MEASURES.—

9 (1) IDENTIFICATION OF NEEDS.—Each assess-
10 ment shall include a determination of specific de-
11 fense capabilities, systems, or technologies that
12 Israel is unable to procure, sustain, or modernize
13 due to arms embargoes or restrictions.

14 (2) UNITED STATES ACTIONS.—The Secretary
15 of Defense, in coordination with the Secretary of
16 State, shall identify and recommend actions the
17 United States may take to mitigate such gaps, in-
18 cluding—

19 (A) expediting delivery of defense articles
20 or services under the Foreign Military Sales
21 program;

22 (B) leveraging U.S. industrial base capac-
23 ity to provide substitute capabilities;

24 (C) expanding joint research, development,
25 and production of defense technologies; and

1 (D) enhancing cooperative training,
2 prepositioning, and logistics support.

3 (c) REPORTS TO CONGRESS.—Not later than 120
4 days after the date of enactment of this section, and semi-
5 annually thereafter, the Secretary of Defense shall submit
6 to the congressional defense committees a report on the
7 findings of the most recent assessment conducted under
8 subsection (a).

9 (d) SUNSET.—The requirement under this section
10 shall terminate 5 years after the date of enactment of this
11 section, unless reauthorized by Congress.

