

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 114-51**  
**OFFERED BY MR. PEARCE OF NEW MEXICO**

At the end of subtitle C of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12xx. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON BUSINESS PRACTICES**  
2 **OF THE ISLAMIC STATE OF IRAQ AND SYRIA**  
3 **(ISIS).**

4 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

5 (1) For nearly two years, the Islamic State of  
6 Iraq and Syria (ISIS) has capitalized on established  
7 oil production facilities throughout Iraq and Syria in  
8 order to fund its jihadist operations globally.

9 (2) Oil production and sale represent the larg-  
10 est and most vulnerable income factors for ISIS.

11 (3) In 2015, ISIS oil sales brought in over  
12 \$400,000,000 to prop up the terror group's oper-  
13 ations world-wide.

14 (4) ISIS has executed a robust recruitment  
15 scheme to staff and operate the oil facilities within  
16 the group's control and maintained smuggling routes  
17 for the sale of that oil.

18 (5) Further disrupting ISIS oil production and  
19 sale structures would be minimally invasive but

1        would effectively curtail the terror group's ability to  
2        self-finance.

3        (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-  
4        gress that the United States should focus all necessary  
5        efforts in the Middle East to disrupt the financing of the  
6        Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS) through oil produc-  
7        tion and sale.

