AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT FOR H.R. 6395
OFFERED BY MR. PHILLIPS OF MINNESOTA

At the end of subtitle D of title V, insert the following:

SEC. 539A. REPORT ON DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION PROGRAM MODERNIZATION.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall deliver a report to the Committees on Armed Services of the Senate and House of Representatives regarding the efficacy of using point of collection testing (in this section referred to as “POCT”) devices to modernize the drug demand reduction program (in this section referred to as “DDRP”) random urinalysis testing.

(b) EVALUATION CRITERIA.—The report shall include the following:

(1) The extent to which use of POCT devices streamline current urinalysis testing processes and communications, while maintaining specimen chain of custody for use in associated administrative and military justice activities if needed.
(2) An assessment of the effectiveness of the POCT devices for DDRP random urinalysis testing while ensuring specimen chain of custody.

(3) A 10-year projection and assessment of the cost savings associated with the use of POCT devices in the DDRP random urinalysis testing.

(4) The methodology for calculating the 10-year cost projection.

(5) An assessment of any other suggested changes to modernize the DDRP program.

(6) A summary of any programmatic or logistical barriers to effectively carrying out the use of POCT devices in the DDRP testing.