

AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116–57
OFFERED BY MR. PHILLIPS OF MINNESOTA

At the end of subtitle C of title VI, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 6___. CHERYL LANKFORD MEMORIAL EXPANSION OF**
2 **ASSISTANCE FOR GOLD STAR SPOUSES AND**
3 **OTHER DEPENDENTS.**

4 Section 633(a) of the National Defense Authorization
5 Act for Fiscal Year 2014 (10 U.S.C. 1475 note) is amended—
6 ed—

7 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (1) through
8 (4) as subparagraphs (A) through (D), respectively;

9 (2) by inserting “(1)” before “Each Secretary”;

10 (3) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by
11 inserting “a casualty assistance officer who is” after
12 “jurisdiction of such Secretary”;

13 (4) by striking “spouses and other dependents
14 of members” and all that follows through “services:”
15 and inserting an em dash; and

16 (5) by inserting before subparagraph (A), as re-
17 designated, the following:

1 “(A) a spouse and any other dependent of a
2 member of such Armed Force (including the reserve
3 components thereof) who dies on active duty; and

4 “(B) a dependent described in subparagraph
5 (A) if the spouse of the deceased member dies and
6 the dependent (or the guardian of such dependent)
7 requests such assistance.

8 “(2) Casualty assistance officers described in para-
9 graph (1) shall provide to spouses and dependents de-
10 scribed in that paragraph the following services:”.

