

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118–36
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At the end of subtitle D of title XII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 12__ . REPORT ON IMPACT OF CYCLICAL COUPS IN AF-**
2 **RICA.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the
4 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of De-
5 fense, in consultation with the Secretary of State and the
6 Secretary of Homeland Security, shall submit to the Com-
7 mittees on Armed Services of the Senate and House of
8 Representatives a report on the impact of cyclical coups
9 in Africa on long-term instability in the region.

10 (b) ELEMENTS.—The report required by subsection
11 (a) shall include the following:

12 (1) An assessment of the impact of cyclical
13 coups in Africa on—

14 (A) United States security interests, in-
15 cluding the potential for increased threats to
16 United States personnel, embassies, and other
17 assets in the region;

18 (B) the capacity of regional multi-state or-
19 ganizations to foster stability, promote eco-

1 nomic growth, and address security challenges
2 within Africa;

3 (C) access to global markets, to include
4 implications for trade, investment, and eco-
5 nomic development in the region;

6 (D) regional and global security, particu-
7 larly the influence and activities of sub-state ac-
8 tors, including terrorist organizations, insurgent
9 groups, and criminal networks; and

10 (E) the political, economic, and social sta-
11 bility of African countries and the broader re-
12 gion, including the potential for humanitarian
13 crises and forced migrations.

14 (2) An assessment of current United States
15 military and diplomatic strategies in response to cy-
16 clical coups in Africa, including an evaluation of the
17 effectiveness of these strategies to mitigate long-
18 term instability and advance the interests of the
19 United States.

20 (c) FORM OF REPORT.—The report required under
21 subsection (a) shall be submitted in unclassified form
22 without any designation relating to dissemination control,
23 but may include a classified annex.

