

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
OF H.R. 4310
OFFERED BY MR. REHBERG OF MONTANA**

At the end of subtitle E of title X, add the following
new section:

1 **SEC. 1065A. LIMITATION ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR**
2 **RETIREMENT OF STRATEGIC DELIVERY SYS-**
3 **TEMS.**

4 (a) **LIMITATION.**—Chapter 24 of title 10, United
5 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
6 lowing:

7 **“§ 498. Commensurate strategic delivery system re-**
8 **ductions**

9 “(a) **LIMITATION ON NEW START REDUCTIONS.**—
10 None of the funds authorized to be appropriated or other-
11 wise made available for fiscal year 2013 or any fiscal year
12 thereafter for the Department of Defense may be obli-
13 gated or expended to reduce, convert, or decommission any
14 strategic delivery system pursuant to the levels set forth
15 for such systems under the New START Treaty unless
16 the President certifies to the congressional defense com-
17 mittees that—

1 “(1) the Russian Federation must make a com-
2 mensurate reduction, conversion, or decommissioning
3 pursuant to the levels set forth under such treaty;
4 and

5 “(2) the Russian Federation is not developing
6 or deploying a strategic delivery system that is—

7 “(A) not covered under the limits set forth
8 under such treaty; and

9 “(B) capable of reaching the United
10 States.

11 “(b) LIMITATION ON TRIAD REDUCTIONS.—None of
12 the funds authorized to be appropriated by this Act or
13 otherwise made available for fiscal year 2013 or any fiscal
14 year thereafter for the Department of Defense may be ob-
15 ligated or expended to reduce, convert, or decommission
16 any strategic delivery system if such reduction, conversion,
17 or decommissioning would eliminate a leg of the nuclear
18 triad.

19 “(c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

20 “(1) The term ‘New START Treaty’ means the
21 Treaty between the United States of America and
22 the Russian Federation on Measures for the Further
23 Reduction and Limitation of Strategic Offensive
24 Arms, signed on April 8, 2010, and entered into
25 force on February 5, 2011.

1 “(2) The term ‘strategic delivery system’ means
2 the following delivery platforms for nuclear weapons:

3 “(A) Land-based intercontinental ballistic
4 missiles.

5 “(B) Submarine-launched ballistic missiles
6 and associated ballistic missile submarines.

7 “(C) Nuclear-certified strategic bombers.

8 “(3) The term ‘triad’ means the nuclear deter-
9 rent capabilities of the United States composed of
10 the strategic delivery systems.”.

11 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
12 at the beginning of such chapter is amended by inserting
13 after the item relating to section 497 the following new
14 item:

“498. Commensurate strategic delivery system reductions.”.

