

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118-10
OFFERED BY MR. ROY OF TEXAS

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

1 **SEC. __. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING THE RELATION-**
2 **SHIP BETWEEN CERTAIN OBLIGATIONS**
3 **UNDER THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY AND**
4 **CONSTITUTIONAL DECLARATIONS OF WAR BY**
5 **CONGRESS.**

6 It is the sense of Congress that, pursuant to Article
7 11 of the North Atlantic Treaty, done at Washington, Dis-
8 trict of Columbia, on April 4, 1949 (63 Stat. 2241; 34
9 U.N.T.S. 243), if the President determines it is necessary
10 to engage United States forces in hostilities in order to
11 restore or maintain the security of the North Atlantic area
12 as stated in Article 5 of such treaty, such action does not
13 supersede the constitutional requirement that Congress
14 declare war or authorize the use of military force prior
15 to the United States engaging in hostilities.

