

AMENDMENT TO
RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118-11
OFFERED BY MR. RUIZ OF CALIFORNIA

At the end of title VIII, add the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . BANNING MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the
3 date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General
4 of the United States shall initiate a study on the Banning
5 Municipal Airport to identify—

6 (1) aviation traffic at the Airport in each of the
7 last 10 years, and estimated future traffic each year
8 in the next 10 years;

9 (2) associated annual revenues and costs in
10 each year to service aviation traffic during the last
11 10 years, and to continue to service it for another
12 10 years;

13 (3) use of the facility for fighting wildfires and
14 the degree of its utility to the local County fire de-
15 partment or other emergency first responders;

16 (4) status of the Airport's current infrastruc-
17 ture and planned improvements, if any, and during
18 the next 5 years and their associated costs;

1 (5) perspectives of and impact on the Morongo
2 Band of Indians resulting from operation of the air-
3 port near tribal lands; and

4 (6) Federal funds that would be required to
5 modernize the Airport's infrastructure to assure no
6 annual operating financial losses for the next 10
7 years.

8 (b) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later than 1 year
9 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller
10 General shall submit to the appropriate committees of
11 Congress a report on the results of the study.

