

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 118-

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At the end of subtitle B of title III, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 3___.** **DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE STRATEGY FOR**
2 **HANDLING SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL.**

3 (a) **STRATEGY REQUIRED.**—The Secretary of De-
4 fense shall develop a strategy to safely handle spent nu-
5 clear fuel produced by advanced nuclear reactors operating
6 on Department of Defense installations or other real prop-
7 erty owned by the Department. In developing such strat-
8 egy, the Secretary shall consider the following methods:

9 (1) Temporarily storing the spent nuclear fuel
10 on Department of Defense property.

11 (2) Permanently storing the spent nuclear fuel
12 in a deep geologic repository.

13 (3) Storing the spent nuclear fuel at an Interim
14 storage facility.

15 (4) Reprocessing the spent nuclear fuel with re-
16 cycling technology.

17 (5) Storing the spent nuclear fuel by using deep
18 borehole technology.

1 (6) Any other method that the Secretary of De-
2 fense determines appropriate.

3 (b) REPORT.—Not later than three years after the
4 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall sub-
5 mit to the congressional defense committees the strategy
6 required under subsection (a).

