

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 115-

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At the end of subtitle B of title XVI, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 1623. REPORT ON SPACE-BASED NUCLEAR DETEC-**
2 **TION.**

3 (a) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the date
4 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense,
5 the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the Secretary
6 of Energy, and the Secretary of State shall jointly submit
7 to the congressional defense committees, the Permanent
8 Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Rep-
9 resentatives, and the Select Committee on Intelligence of
10 the Senate a report on space-based nuclear detection.

11 (b) ELEMENTS.—The report under subsection (a)
12 shall include, at a minimum, the following:

13 (1) A description of the space-based nuclear de-
14 tection program (including the space-based atmos-
15 pheric burst reporting system).

16 (2) The strategic plan, including with respect to
17 current and planned space platforms, to host the rel-
18 evant payloads for such program.

1 (3) The current and planned national security
2 requirements for space-based nuclear detection, in-
3 cluding—

4 (A) an attribution of such requirements to
5 specific missions of the departments and agen-
6 cies of the Federal Government; and

7 (B) how such requirements compare to
8 past requirements.

9 (4) How current and future funding for the
10 space-based nuclear detection program is being pro-
11 vided by each such department or agency to meet
12 each mission requirement.

13 (c) FORM.—The report under subsection (a) shall be
14 submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classi-
15 fied annex.

